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WHITEAWAY'S

RUSSIA'S DEEP RESENTMENT STIRRED

FURTHER FIGHTING INEVITABLE

Korean Army Reports Soviets Retirement

Moscow, Aug. 4.

While an official *communiqué* says that further fighting on the Soviet-Manchukuo border is inevitable, resentment reached a high pitch at nation-wide mass meetings, whose tone was exemplified by the official organ, *Pravda*, which observes:

"The Fascist birds of prey, grinding the knife to attack the Soviet on our frontiers, an object of craving for the jackals and hyenas of Fascism. But the frontier guards and the Red Army are vigilantly protecting the Soviet border."—*United Press*.

REPORTED RETIREMENT

Keijo, Aug. 4.

The Korean Army *communiqué* issued yesterday afternoon states that the Soviets have suspended the Changkufeng offensive. The report states that Soviet infantry advanced 150 metres and then retreated for approximately 1,000 metres from the Japanese positions, and were at present erecting defences.

The *communiqué* reported that Russian infantry, occupying a hill two kilometres south-east of Changkufeng, retreated "some distance."

The report stated that clouds were hanging over Changkufeng, and no Soviet planes had been sighted, though they had been heard.

A Tokyo message says that General Ugaki visited Prince Konoye for what is characterised as an "important conference."—*United Press*.

Punishment Demanded

Moscow, Aug. 3.

Forty thousand workers in the Stalin automobile factory at Moscow today passed a resolution calling on the Government to "punish the provocations of the Japanese militarists."

They announced their readiness to "take up arms mercilessly against enemy in their territory."

Units of the Red Navy, serving with the Amur River flotilla, who are due to be demobilised in the autumn, have indicated their willingness to continue with the colours.

Resolutions supporting the Government in any action it may take against the Japanese have been received from the Collective Farmers and Tractor Brigades and Don Cossacks.—*Reuter*.

200 Killed Yesterday Japanese Claim

Tokyo, Aug. 4.

About 200 Russian troops were estimated to have been killed in Wednesday's fighting, according to a Korean Army *communiqué*, which declares that the Soviet troops kept up their fire in the Changkufeng area from dawn until 3 p.m. yesterday, when approximately three Russian battalions began moving northward.

It is estimated that Soviet troops at Changkufeng comprise three infantry regiments, one mechanised brigade, with about 230 tanks.—*Reuter*.

GENERAL FLIES TO NEW POST

Hankow, Aug. 4.

General Chang Chun had gone to Chungking by air to assume his new post as Director-General of the Chinese Headquarters for Szechuen, Sinkiang and Kweichow provinces. Mr. Wang Ching-wel left Hankow on August 1 for Ichang, en route to Chungking.—*Reuter Special*.

JAPANESE RUSHING MEN TO FRONTIER

Six Trains Daily Moving North, Foreigners State

Peiping, Aug. 4.

All sources confirm that Japanese troops are moving eastward in large numbers. Foreigners from Mukden assert that troops are going northward at a rate of over six trains a day.

For the first time for many days Chinese newspapers are publishing Manchukuo border news.

The stories are identical to those published in the foreign press on August 1.

The Chinese populace is hopefully waiting developments, and is very anxious that Japan should be embroiled with Russia.

The Japanese here are slightly subdued.—*United Press*.

REMOVING SIGN OF JEWISH CULTURE

Munich, Aug. 3.

The Jewish synagogue at Nuremberg, and the building of the Jewish Cultural Community, will be pulled down next week, according to an announcement by the Mayor of Nuremberg, who, amid applause, informed the Town Council: "A crying shame to Nuremberg would it last be removed."

The two buildings will have been destroyed by the time the annual Nazi party rally opens on September 4.—*Reuter Special*.

British Firms Fight Rights in China



In a great outpouring of affection, the people of Sweden honoured their beloved King Gustaf on his recent 80th birthday. He is shown above speaking in Stockholm on that occasion. Left to right are President Kyosti Kallio of Finland, King Haakon of Norway, King Gustaf and King Christian of Denmark. Later, erect in his saddle, the King reviewed troops.

Rare Paralysis Epidemic Now Sweeps Japan

Tokyo, Aug. 4.

Upwards of 700 cases of infantile paralysis, regarded as the rarest type yet discovered, are reported from the Kansai district. There have also been 200 cases at Osaka and many in the Kobe vicinity.

The number of deaths from the epidemic is so far unrecorded.—*United Press*.

AIR MAIL SCHEDULE CHANGING

To Link Hongkong With Main Service

Consequent upon the introduction of the Empire Air Mail programme to Australia, a revision of schedule of the Hongkong-Bangkok air service has been made by the Imperial Airways (Far East) Limited.

The days of arrival at and departure from Hongkong of the feeder service planes between these two ports will be slightly changed. As from Friday, August 12, the mails will leave Hongkong for Bangkok every Friday and Tuesday, and in the reverse direction will leave Bangkok for the Colony on the same days.

Started on July 26, there will now be three services per week in each direction between London and Sydney, leaving Southampton on Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays and arriving in Sydney on Saturdays, Mondays and Tuesdays the following week.

Italy Will Speed Up War Machine

General Staffs In Secret Conference

Rome, Aug. 3.

Meetings between the chiefs of general staffs of the Army, and Air Force, presided over by Il Duce, at which the Foreign Minister was also present, are officially revealed.

It is understood that apart from new equipment, the main purposes of the meetings, from which the Navy was the financial co-ordination of the new armament programme.

No details of the official *communiqué* are given in the official *communiqué* which merely states that the object is to increase the efficiency of the Italian armed forces. The new measures are apparently aimed at strengthening Italy's power of attack, and some light is thrown on the subject by editorial comments in the *Tribuna* which states: "War with rapid decision has for some time been the principal scheme of the

INVADERS TRAPPED BY FLOOD WATERS IN ABANDONED CITY

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Japanese troops have achieved the occupation of Hwangmei but the city is now under water, according to Chinese reports.

A Chinese military *communiqué* states that the Japanese at Susung on August 2 advanced westward towards Hwangmei along the highway, forcing the Chinese to withdraw to the hills, north-west of the town.

The Yangtse is said to have risen steadily during the past fortnight resulting in a flooding of the area on the north bank from Siao-chih-kou, opposite Kiukiang, through Kung-tun to Hwangmei.

The Chinese forces, seeing the Yangtse flood waters pouring into Hwangmei decided to abandon the city, "while the Japanese, entering now, find themselves trapped by the flood."—*Reuter*.

SHANSI SITUATION UNCHANGED

Peiping, Aug. 4.

A Japanese spokesman announced that the situation in south Shansi is unchanged.

He said that 3,000 independent Chinese cavalry, who were formerly Manchurian troops under a certain Lieut-General Li, who had their base near Fengchen, south of Suiyuan, surrendered on July 28, and that they will be reorganised and used as peace preservation forces.—*United Press*.

Soviet Flag Flying Over Changkufeng, Radio Claim

London, Aug. 4.

The *Daily Express* asserts to-day that it heard a Khabarovsk broadcast which stated that the commander of the Soviet troops had hoisted the Red Flag of Russia at Changkufeng.

The broadcast stated that Japan had rushed 35,000 troops and 400 planes to the area.

The broadcast ended with the words: "Hello Tokyo! We are not afraid."—*United Press*.

Italian military strategists and war technicians. The intensive production of new artillery and portable arms has permitted a notable strengthening of gun power.

Measures under consideration regarding infantry divisions will allow big units greater freedom of movement without diminishing their shock capacity.—*Reuter*.

80 Now Dead In Wild Riots About Rangoon

Rangoon, Aug. 3.

Rioting, looting and murder are still prevalent in various districts, though Rangoon is normal. The total casualties are 80 killed and 300 wounded, including 20 Indians killed at Tharavaddy, and scores wounded.—*Reuter Special*.

FEAR OF FLOODS SPREADING 100,000 Mobilised To Fight River

Hankow, Aug. 4.

With the Yellow River approaching the season of its highest levels, fears are growing that flood waters may spread to Chengchow. The flood waters at present are only seven miles from Chengchow, where the authorities are mobilising 100,000 refugees to strengthen the dykes on the west bank of the Chialu River.

This is part of the Government's relief programme, for refugees who obtain pay for their labours. A special garden party was arranged here last night, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Yellow River Flood Relief Fund.—*Reuter Special*.

GUARD AGAINST RUMOURS

Peiping, Aug. 4.

The Chofoo correspondent of the *Hsin Ming Pao* reports that the police are forbidding the spreading of rumours which has caused much trouble previously, making the people desert the streets, suddenly panic-stricken.—*United Press*.

NAVY DISAPPROVES JAPAN'S CLOSING OF KIUKIANG DOOR

Ban May Give Precedent For Hankow "Lock-Out"

Shanghai, Aug. 4.

British firms, whose employees are prevented from returning to Kiukiang from their refuges on British gunboats and merchant vessels, have made strong representations to the British Embassy urging that a protest should be made to Japan.

It is reliably learned, that the British Navy has intimated the view that there is no validity in the Japanese contention that it would not be safe for foreigners to return to Kiukiang.

British businessmen stress that if the Japanese ban on the return of foreigners is accepted this case will create a precedent whereby foreigners will be barred from a re-entry to Hankow should this place be occupied by the Japanese.—*Reuter*.

CHINESE DESTROY TWELVE RAIDERS

Admit Loss Of Six Machines

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Chinese aviation headquarters claim that 12 Japanese planes, comprising 11 pursuits and one bomber, were shot down yesterday morning by Chinese aircraft which intercepted a group of 70 Japanese machines heading for Hankow.

The Chinese admit the loss of six machines, but the Japanese officially claim to have shot down 32 Chinese planes.

The Japanese say that two Japanese planes are missing.—*Reuter*.

CHINESE RAIDERS SUCCEED

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Chinese aircraft staged another successful raid over the Japanese aerodrome at Anking and a concentration of Japanese warships in the (Continued on Page 7.)

PLANES CROSS BORDER

German Charge Against Czechs

Berlin, Aug. 3.

An alleged further violation of the frontier by three Czech planes has evoked bitter comment in Berlin, especially as it occurred on the day of Lord Runciman's arrival in Prague, and is regarded as particularly serious because two planes were reported to have flown over the fortress at Glatz, 12 miles from the frontier.—*Reuter*.

RUNCIMAN GIVES ADVICE

Prague, Aug. 3.

Lord Runciman, British mediator in the dispute between the Czech Government and the Sudeten minority party, arrived here to-day and was greeted by Government and Mayoral representatives and leaders of the Sudetens.

Lord Runciman's first public act was to receive representatives of the (Continued on Page 7.)

British Officer Killed

H.M.S. *Gnat*, which was immediately despatched to the scene where Captain J. G. C. Crawley, British commander of the Chinese customs cruiser, was killed by Japanese machine-gun bullets when the vessel was attacked by Japanese seaplanes on Tuesday afternoon, returned to Hankow yesterday afternoon with three bodies which were carried ashore by coolies.

Captain Crawley's body was taken to the International Hospital. Lieut-Commander E. Neville, in an interview with *Reuter*, said that about 4.30 p.m. on Tuesday six Japanese seaplanes attacked the Chinese customs cruiser, *Chianghsing*, (Continued on Page 7.)

STOP PRESS



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chooses

FROCKS FOR THE SHORT ONES

— & gives height-making hints

Softly padded bodice gives importance to a frock of deep plum blue crepe. This pattern includes both long and short puff sleeves, as illustrated.



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The long lines of this becoming printed frock are height-making. If you are on the plump side you will look slimmer in it, too.



1165

TO LOOK TALLER

Choose small designs or plain fabrics

No fussy details

Skirts: Straight or slightly flared

Go gay with hats

Avoid broad sashes and big bows

"It's just a little thing," is a phrase that has occurred in many letters which I have recently received from readers, "what should I wear?" Choosing dresses certainly presents difficulties when you not only lack inches, but are small limbed.

Style is the first thing to consider. Select simple designs, and please don't clutter yourself up with a lot of accessories. They just overpower you and then you wonder what is wrong. If you want to introduce an original note have a saucy hat.

Materials are the next question. Pick out the tiny checks, spots or floral prints; and where possible wear self-coloured fabrics. Boleros you can wear with great success. Straight or slightly flared skirts are much better for you than full ones, and give an illusion of height. Avoid wide sashes; a narrow petal-shaped ribbon is quite sufficient.

The clear brilliance of the season's colours will compensate you for any lack of contrast pattern on your dress. The left-hand sketch, clearly illustrates the type of frock that will give you height.

You have always admitted these gauged bodices? Well, here is one specially designed and modified so that a heavy effect is avoided. Included in this pattern are two sleeves, both of which are fashionable this season. One is a close-fitting style to the elbow. The other ends just four inches above the wrist.

If your measurements are less than the smallest size, cut out your frock exact to the pattern, and do not allow for turnings. Size 30in. bust with long sleeves takes 3 1/2 yds. 30in. crepe, 1 1/2 yds. ribbon; with elbow-length sleeves, 3 1/2 yds. 30in. fabric.

Now let us turn to the troubles of the woman of fifty who is not over-optim for the second style. No. 1165 will exactly suit her needs.

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A too full hip or bust line, as well as an upper arm that is rather large, have to be disguised, so you must rely on vertical lines to ensure a slenderizing silhouette. The V line of the neckline meets the upward V of the bodice. The only trimming in this easily made design is the soft, chiffon frilling at the neck and on the sleeves.

Quantity of material required for 40in. bust is 4 1/2 yds. 30in., 4 yds. 30in. contrast.

WOMEN SEEK, GIVEN BEAUTY HINTS BY MAX FACTOR

Dear Mr. Factor:

My rouge never seems to look natural. I am very pale so I must end to this beauty destroyer? Gratefully yours, Mrs. L. J. Allen, Canagacy, Cuba.

Sincerely yours, Mary Anne Evans, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Colour is, of course, the primary secret in making up to look natural, and in the case of rouge it is doubly important. If you are a blonde with an olive skin and blue eyes, then use blondest rouge. If your skin is exceptionally fair you may use flame rouge as Virginia Bruce does. Black hair and blue eyes, however, would call for carmine rouge, and black hair and brown eyes would require raspberry rouge.

If your rouge is the proper shade, then follow this technique. Be sure to apply it to the highest point of the cheek bone, before you powder, then with the finger tips blend it in back to the hairline, and lightly up to the eyes. Put your powder into the skin and then brush off the excess.

Dear Mr. Factor:

I have brown hair and eyes and have always used brown eyeliner, but a friend suggested the day that summer make-up calls for colours with more red in them and for violet eyeshadow. Would you suggest that I make a change?

Yours truly, Dolores Gallegos, Barranquilla, Colombia.

Changing make-up according to the advice of your friends is often a very hazardous procedure. It is that as you acquire a heavy summer tan you may find that a lighter shade of make-up, which has more orange in the colour, will more nearly match your skin. However, be sure that you are tanned sufficiently to justify such a change, and if possible ask the advice of an available expert. But never under any circumstances, use violet eye-shadow in the daytime—or at any time—since you have brown eyes and brown hair. You might use green eye-shadow for an exotic evening effect, but stick to brown for daytime.

Dear Mr. Factor:

My face perspires when I indulge in summer sports, and needless to say,

my make-up doesn't stay on very well. What can I do to put an end to this beauty destroyer?

Gratefully yours, Mrs. L. J. Allen, Canagacy, Cuba.

You have a blessing in disguise. If your face perspires freely, you probably have a good complexion. It would not be safe nor sensible to stop this natural process. If you are playing tennis, merely wash your face with cool water at the end of the game, then use your compact and lipstick to their best advantage. You can put on a new make-up when you get home.

Dear Mr. Factor: My hair has become a problem to me. It seems to be losing its lustre, and getting streaked. Also I believe I have more dandruff than usual. What should I do to bring it back to life?

Thanking you, I am, Louise Westbrook, Jamaica, British West Indies.

Your particular hair difficulty is not an unusual one just now. Women are becoming more and more inclined to be out of doors without hats, or wearing crownless hats. It is the sun which streaks and dries the hair. Be more careful about your sunshade and over-exposure to the sun's rays. Also don't neglect the old-fashioned hairbrush. A good brushing every night will do a great deal to bring the life back to your hair. It is the most effective means of combating dandruff, and also serves to distribute the oils through the scalp and prevent dryness. Spray your finished coiffure with liquid brillor.

Dear Mr. Factor:

I am a great admirer of Myrna Loy and many of my friends think that I resemble her. To be frank, I try to put my make-up on in such a way that I will look like her. My biggest problem, however, is my lipstick. I can't make my mouth look like Miss Loy's. Can you tell me how she uses her lipstick?

Sincerely, Betty Nelson, Foochow, China.

If I were you I would not try to make my mouth a duplicate of Myrna Loy's nor anyone else's. "Eyes are the mirror of the soul, the mouth is the expression of the personality." Don't give up your personality to be a carbon copy of any one.

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NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

It Is Easy To Make Ice Cream At Home These Modern Days

VARIOUS ice cream makers have their individual merits, but one which is easy to manage and especially handy is that designed for use without ice.

This maker is in the shape of a round tin, into which is packed the cream mixture, as well as the freezing preparation which takes the place of ice.

No power is needed.

This contraption could be used to make ice instead of cream, a solid block being produced in a very few minutes. Or add an extra device inside the drum, and the ice will be formed in cubes, nearly a pound being made at a time.

Eggs For Breakfast?

THE production of new designs for egg cups is a recognition of the permanent place of the boiled egg in breakfast menus.

Some are made to appeal especially to nursery folk. But for grown-ups there are tall-lined egg cups, complete with screw-on tops which are intended to pander to those who are habitually late for breakfast.

The busy housewife also finds an egg-timer useful. A new design is

made with the sand-glass attached to a strip of metal, so that as the sand filters through, a bell is rung underneath. This bell-ringing can be adjusted to the time required.

Much Fine Handwork

ONE form of hand-work, which is much used for trimming at the moment, are often seen decorating the latest blouses.

Much fine tucking is seen, and there are rows of little scalloped frills adorning the fronts of muslin blouses.

Sometimes pastel coloured organ-die blouses have a fine design embroidered all over it, in the shape of lattice-work trails of tiny flowers. Or the embroidery runs in lines between rows of lace, inset down the front of the blouse. Rows of hand ruching, too, may be used to gather up the fullness in the front of the blouse.

Her Own Bureau

ONE of the new bureaux which is far more capacious than ordinarily is a treasure in a room furnished as a bed-sitting room for the use of a schoolgirl.

Simply it is the order of the day, and a desk made from light wood and a business-like lines is quite perfect for the purpose.

It has knee space, and little drawers running across the top as well as down the left side, with bar handles making a long, continuous edge.

From front to back across the side of the desk a deep recess is fitted with a shelf for books or flowers.

Onions

AMONG the many ingredients which will be eaten in salads this season, onions are likely to be frequently included.

Dieticians advise onions. Also, the flavour is considered piquant with many concoctions. They are even being used with fruit-and-savoury mixtures.

However, all this means that even though you may acquire the taste you may yet resent the odour clinging to your fingers after peeling the onions.

At lemon provides the solution. Rub your fingers with a lemon, and then put them under running cold water. You may then feel quite confident that no odour of onions haunts your presence.



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POLICE are faced with the strange task of helping babies in the Frimley, Camberley and Bagshot area of Surrey to prove that they are alive. The year's register of birth, marriages and deaths has been stolen from Camberley Registrar's office. Until it is found people who have not copies of official registrations cannot legally prove their existence.

87, Seeks Way To Make Rain

AT the age of 87, Sir Oliver Lodge, scientist and spiritualist, is trying to find a way to create rain at will.

"Sir Oliver has for many years been studying the problem of causing clouds to discharge rain by artificial means," his secretary said.

"He believes that electrification of the atmosphere would yield rain at will."

"He has been in correspondence with Sir Ambrose Fleming, who is also working on this problem."

SEVEN YEARS' WORK

A plan put forward by Sir Ambrose is to send aeroplanes up 10,000 to 15,000 ft. carrying steel bottles containing highly-compressed air.

"It is this were emitted through suitable jets and impregnated with fine dust this electrified dust could be discharged into clouds at a considerable height and cause the clouds to discharge rain," says Sir Ambrose.

Sir Oliver is likely to deal with his researches into man-made rain in "Physics for Everyone," a monumental book he has almost completed after seven years' work. It will be published in the spring.

SCIENCE'S "WONDER TWIN" EXPERIMENT EXPOSED

Ask State Help
for Movie Stars



Once a highly-paid actress and wife of Rudolph Valentino, Jean Acker Valentino, above, leads a group of impoverished former film luminaries who have petitioned Governor Merriam of California to draft a new state "career insurance" law setting aside 10 per cent of salary and protecting stars against penniless lives when careers are ended. Mrs. Valentino is pictured during work as an extra in new movie, "The Young in Heart."



Royal blue little-tattle braid—the kind used to trim the most gaudy dresses of Scandinavian peasants—finishes this full-skirted country club frock of sleek white crepe. Notice the large, loose pocket and the Swedish good luck charm with crown and pendants. The clogs, more comfortable than the peasant shoes from which they were derived, are made of white suede with cork soles.

Super-Intelligent At 2, But Now—

By Rhona Churchill

NEW YORK, JULY 3. TO-DAY I FOUND OUT THE TRUTH ABOUT AMERICA'S SIX-YEAR-OLD SCIENTIFIC TWINS—JOHNNY AND JIMMY WOODS, WHOSE HOME LIES IN THE NEGRO QUARTER OF NEW YORK.

They were born in a clinic, Jimmy grew up in normal home conditions. But at three months a psychologist began to give Johnny psychological treatment every day with startling results.

At two years Johnny had the brain of a child of more than twice his age. He was hailed as a "wonder baby."

At the age of four the treatment ceased and Johnny joined his brother in a normal home life. And now their positions are reversed. Jimmy leads his brother mentally and physically. By comparison Johnny is dull and slow—like a plant that has become stunted after being brought from a forcing frame.

Germany's 200 m.p.h. Airliner

TWO HUNDRED-MILE-A-HOUR air-liners are becoming usual on the European routes operated by France, Italy, Germany and Holland. Until the De Havilland Probiator monoplanes, developed from the Transatlantic Albatross, are in use, Britain is out of this contest for speedier services.

The latest of the fast machines to arrive at Croydon is the German Focke-Wulf Condor all-metal monoplane carrying 26 passengers.

This machine is an example of building haste. The German Air Lines ordered the type from the Focke-Wulf company, of Bremen, and a year later it was flying.

CABINS SILENCED

The long, tapering fuselage is divided into two cabins. In the front compartment, seating nine, smoking is allowed. The cabins are so silenced that passengers can talk in normal tones.

This Condor is to replace the Junkers 52 three-engined monoplanes on the German air lines. It has been ordered also by the Swedish air lines.

HE SET HIS OWN JAW

MR. WILLIAM HEBNER of Commercial Street, Perth, was one of the happy crowd of more than 120,000 people who enjoyed the thrills of the Glasgow Empire Exhibition—until he ate a toffee apple. It was an unusually sticky one and before it was finished Mr. Hebner found himself in the ambulance room trying to indicate to the first aid men that he had dislocated his jaw.

While on the way to hospital, by careful manipulation he reset his own jaw.

TAUBER HAS TAKEN OFF WEIGHT

Freemantle. AUSTRALIA opens up a new world to Richard Tauber, famous voice of the screen and wireless, who, with his wife, arrived in the Orontes.

The famous singer said that in a country only 150 years old nothing could be old fashioned as Europeans understood the term.

He looked forward to his tour with tremendous interest and conversed enthusiastically with Australians who came aboard to meet him.

Tauber was in excellent spirits and health and proud of the fact that during the past two years he had lost two stone in weight.

Vaults of Skulls To Be Offices

Thousands of human skulls and bones are to be moved from five vaults under the church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London.

The vaults will then be used as offices for the St. Martin's Social Committee, which helps the poor and distressed people who come to seek a night's shelter in the crypt.

London's Diocesan Chancellor, who yesterday gave permission for the vaults to be cleared and the remains transferred to consecrated ground, said the floors were "simply a mass of skulls and bones," the remains of thousands of bodies.

For my test I took the twins for a walk, suggesting first a visit to a drug store.

Jimmy dashed on ahead, Johnny followed. Jimmy was already sitting on a high chair giving his order when I arrived. It was a chocolate ice cream soda.

"What'll you have, Johnny?" I asked.

"Oh, Johnny'll have a biscuit," said Jimmy, trying to be helpful.

"I WAS NOT TOLD"

Before I took them out, Mrs. Dennis Woods, their mother, had told me the full story of their upbringing.

"It is not true that I wanted to be relieved of the responsibility of my twins when they were born, in spite of our poor circumstances."

"Officials at the maternity clinic took three months to persuade me to let Dr. Myerle McGraw, of the Normal Child Development Clinic of New York look after them."

"I did not know that experiments were to be carried out with the twins."

"I was told Dr. McGraw only wanted to watch them grow, keeping them in the clinic for two hours a day."

CLIMBING FEATS

"I soon noticed that Johnny was quicker on his feet than Jimmy."

At one year, he used to climb over the dresser and perform balancing feats.

"Then one day I read in a newspaper that my Johnny, still only about eighteen months, was learning to swim. I read that he could dive off a five-foot spring board and swim under water."

"There was a picture of him roller skating, and they called him a 'wonder' child."

"I went to the clinic to find out what was happening."

"Instead of coming away with a promise from the doctor that she would not experiment with my baby any more, I found I had promised her that I would not stop him climbing about the kitchen and behaving like a performing monkey."

"She admitted she was teaching him to climb, and told me it would be bad for his nerves if I tried to stop him now."

THE CHANGE

"Jimmy, who was left to develop normally and to fend for himself, is a bright, healthy youngster."

"But Johnny, the elder twin, who was taught monkey tricks before the normal child can crawl, is no longer a 'wonder' child."

"He left the clinic two years ago, and has been leading a normal life at a nursery school with Jimmy. He has forgotten how to skate and swim."

"My sister-in-law took him to the sea recently, and he was afraid to go in the water. He is not as mentally alert as Jimmy."

"People have said how lucky I am, and how they wish their children could have all the modern advantages mine have had. But it was Johnny who had those special advantages, and what good have they done him?"

"Children should be left to their parents, however poor the circumstances. I'm sure of that now."

Mrs. Woods told me that she is shortly expecting twins again. This time she will do her utmost to prevent them being subjected to any experiments.

Temperature Change Killed Airman

Colin Byar, famous New Zealand pilot, was flying on manoeuvres on an exceptionally cold night near Croydon when he decided to land—and came down suddenly from a height of 8,000ft.

The change in temperature stopped his engines.

He tried to restart them, but did not use enough care, crashed at Purley, and died from injuries.

This was revealed at the inquest at Croydon yesterday, when a verdict of Death by Misadventure was returned.

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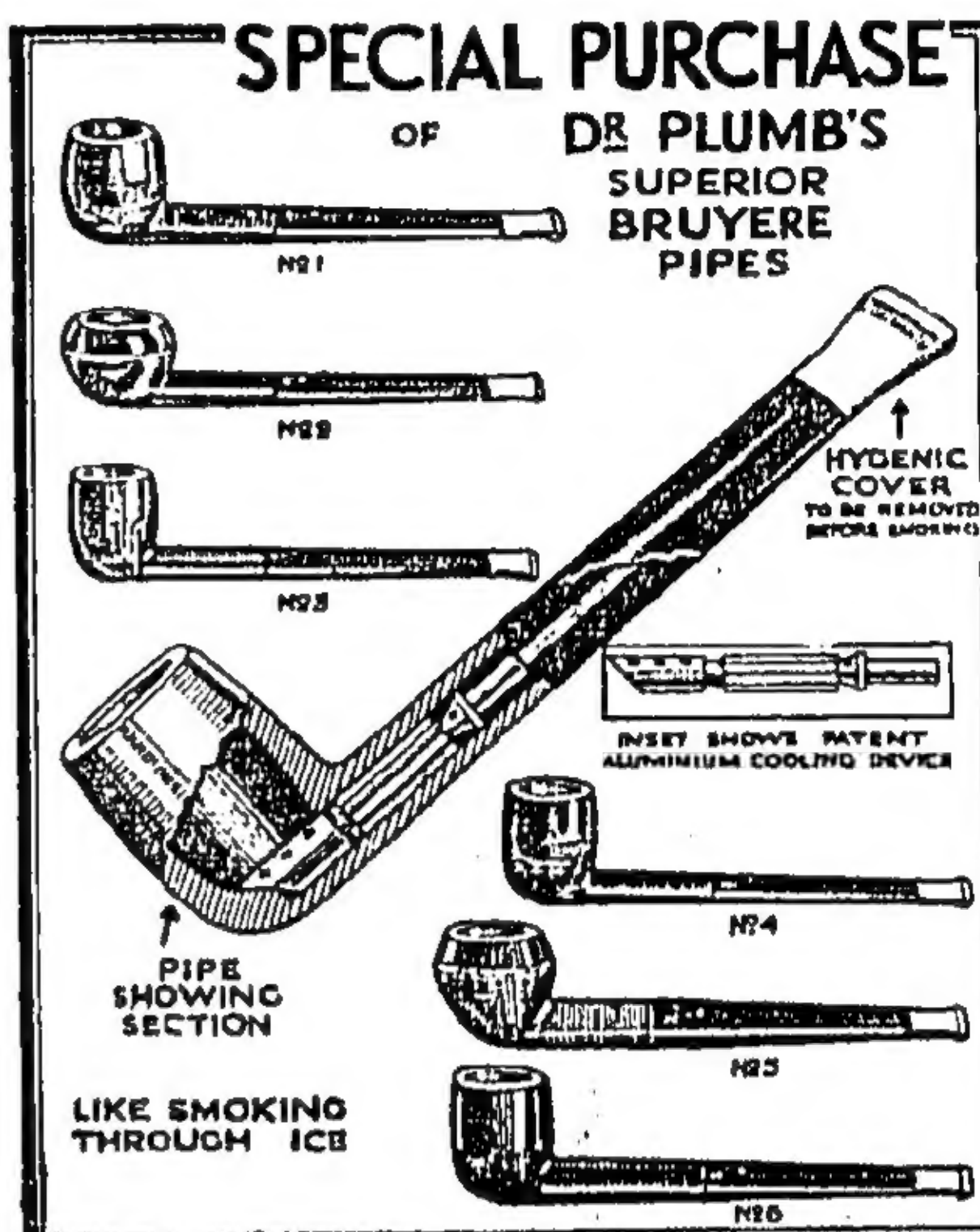
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FLOODS
MAY HALT
ADVANCEYangtze Takes
Hand in War

Hankow, Aug. 3. It is officially stated that Hanoh-kow, opposite Kluikang, and Lung-ping, 22 miles above Kluikang, are submerged in water because of heavy rainfall and the Yangtze water overflowing. Kunglung, between Hwangmei and Kluikang, is also flooded.

It is said that about a dozen Japanese warships have been sighted east of Lungping. Japanese ships below Kluikang at present are proceeding upriver.—United Press.

PLAINS FLOODED

Hankow, Aug. 3. The fate of the town of Hwangmei west of Susung is declared to be unknown here since telegraph and telephone communications are interrupted.

The interruption might be due to floods when the breach of the dykes caused the inundation of unsurveyable areas in the region between Hankow and Kluikang. Han-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB

The 51st Annual General Meeting of members will be held at the Club House on Friday, August 5th, 1938, at 6 p.m.

E. L. STRANGE,
Hon. Secretary.

H.M.S. KENT
RETURNING

H.M.S. Kent, Captain L. H. Ashmore, presently on voyage to the China Station, where she will resume the duties of flagship—replacing her sister cruiser Cumberland, which has been acting as such since the Kent left for England in 1936—is due at Singapore on August 8, will remain there for four days and should arrive at Hongkong on September 4. The Kent was much altered in protection and gun-power, as well as aeroplane armament while she was in dock at Chatham.

All the cruisers of the China Station have been so modernised and improved or are undergoing that process.

It expressly refutes the Japanese allegations that the Chinese pierced the dykes.

As a matter of fact the dykes have not been repaired for a considerable time and have therefore yielded to the pressure of water.

It is believed at Hankow that new inundations like those of the Yellow River will have a far-reaching influence on the Japanese operations.

The vast plain north of Kluikang on both sides of the Yangtze seems to be flooded, which might mean the termination of the Japanese advance to the west along the Yangtze.—Trans-Ocean.

C. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Chung, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years. Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4032	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung	N 100 feet E 100 feet S 100 feet W 100 feet	About 45,000	\$516	\$29,250
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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
2	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4033	Ma Tau Chung Road, Ma Tau Chung	N 100 feet E 100 feet S 100 feet W 100 feet	About 45,000	\$516	\$29,250
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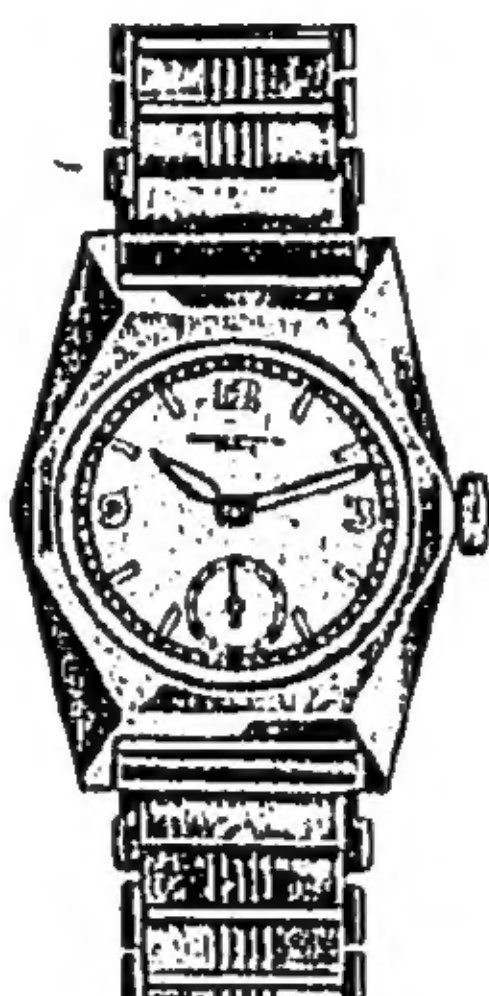
PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Shamshui, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof. Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
3	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2627	Adjoining New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2583, Tai Po Road, Shamshui.	N 100 feet E 100 feet S 100 feet W 100 feet	About 5,200	\$60	\$11,700
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INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia, London date, 14th July.	Felix Roussel	August 4.
Shanghai.	Glenapp	August 5.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date.		
31st July.		
Shanghai and Swatow	Imperial Airways Plane	August 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Kiangsu	August 5.
Shanghai, Foochow and Amoy	Rawalpindi	August 5.
Hai Phong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Anking	August 6.
Straits and Hoihow	Klungchow	August 6.
Straits	Muinam	August 6.
U.S.A., Honolulu, and Japan—San Francisco date, 12th July.	Perseus	August 6.
Shanghai and Swatow	Pres. Adams	August 6.
Pakhoi	Soochow	August 6.
Straits	Szechuen	August 6.
Hai Phong	Bhutan	August 7.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 20th July.	Canton	August 7.
	Fan-American Airways Plane	August 7.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Thursday		
Swatow	Lycemoon	Thurs., Aug. 4, 12.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and "Europe via Vancouver B.C." (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver B.C., 22nd August and "Europe via Siberia."	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., Aug. 4.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Parcels	Aug. 4, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 31st August.	Felix Roussel	Thurs., Aug. 4.
Air Mail for Chungking (via Hankow) by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 4.15 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	C.N.A.C. Plane	Thurs., Aug. 4.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 4.30 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 11th August.	Eurasia Plane	Thurs., Aug. 4.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 4.30 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 22nd August.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Aug. 4.
	K. P. O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 5.30 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 4, 7 p.m.
	Thurs., Aug. 4.	
	G. P. O.	
	Parcels	Aug. 4, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Aug. 4, 5.45 a.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 5, 5.30 a.m.

Friday

Samsui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri., Aug. 5, 8.15 a.m.
Hai Phong	G.G. Paul Doumer	Fri., Aug. 5, 9 a.m.
Haiphong	Leesang	Fri., Aug. 5, 10 a.m.
Kongmoon	On Lee	Fri., Aug. 5, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	Fri., Aug. 5, 3 p.m.
*Swatow, Shanghai and Hoihow	Takung	Fri., Aug. 5, 3.30 p.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 2nd September.	Rawalpindi	Fri., Aug. 5.
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	
	Parcels	Aug. 5, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Aug. 5, 6.45 a.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 5, 10.30 a.m.

Saturday

Samsui and Wuchow	Kongning	Sat., Aug. 6, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for "K. L. M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 16th August.	Rawalpindi	Sat., Aug. 6.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 6, 9.30 a.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 6, 10 a.m.
Kongmoon	Fook On	Sat., Aug. 6, 10 a.m.
Air Mail for "France-Orient Airways Service"—due Marseilles, 21st August.	Lycemoon	Sat., Aug. 6.
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 6, 4 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 6, 4.50 p.m.
Amoy and *Shanghai	Tilbadak	Sat., Aug. 6, 4 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Sat., Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
Saloon	Lycemoon	Sat., Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
*Manila, *Saloon, Bangkok, *Straits, *Batavia, *Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar, L. Marques and *S. Africa	Pres. Adams	Sat., Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 14th August.	Tegelburg	Sat., Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
	Pan-American Airways Plane	Sat., Aug. 6.
	K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 6, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 6, 7. Noon.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 14th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	Sat., Aug. 6.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	
	Reg.	Aug. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Aug. 7, Noon.

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- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries.
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- Pictures submitted in sepia tone should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
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- Mounts to be only white or cream, and, except in the Children's Section, must be of one of the following sizes:—10" by 14", 10" by 12", 10" by 8".
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must be pasted on the entry form, and signed by a parent.
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H.K. WOMAN TELLS STORY OF ATTACK BY RUTHLESS FLIER

The terrible experience of being bombed and machine-gunned in an unarmed merchant vessel by an expert aviator and marksman, is related by Mrs. Peggy O'Neill, wife of Hongkong's *Reuter* representative, in a letter to her husband from Casa Blanca.

Mrs. O'Neill is at present staying with her mother at Liverpool. She left Hongkong on June 27 in the *Tiranna* which was attacked by a seaplane off Casa Blanca on July 25. One man was killed and several wounded. *Tiranna* is a Norwegian ship.

Mrs. O'Neill writes: "I was asleep when it began. I believe a bombing plane flew over us about 6 a.m. but I was awakened just before 7 a.m. by what I thought was someone climbing on the iron deck outside my cabin with a pick-axe. I put my head out of the porthole and saw a huge bombing seaplane zoom past, gunning the side of the ship. It was a bit of a shock as I was only just awake. The Chief Officer burst into my cabin, hustled me into the alleyway and told me to stay there until further instructions. It was a good job I did as he told me; two shots went right through my cabin and I now have one of the bullets which lodged in the wall just over my head.

"There was only one plane but though we stopped the ship and signalled to ask him what he wanted, he just kept circling round and round dropping incendiary bombs and machine-gunning us. When he started dropping the bombs the captain gave orders to get the lifeboats ready in case of fire, but as soon as the crew appeared to get things ready, the bomber came back and he machine-gunned the lifeboats as the men dashed for cover.

"WON'T GET ME"

"The bombers flew round and round and we had to move from the alleyway to the dining saloon. We crouched under the tables and splinters and shrapnel were flying everywhere.

"One terribly sad thing happened. A very popular lad, the senior apprentice, whom we had christened 'Gorgeous' on account of his good looks, was killed. Poor boy! They got him through the lungs with five bullets and he died in half-an-hour. He had just put out an incendiary bomb with the hose and had come across to our alleyway for cover. He was showing us the bomb when the captain, who was on the bridge, asked for someone to go forward and put up another flag. He went to do it and as he was going I said, 'For God's sake be careful and mind you don't get hit.'

"He said 'Don't worry; they won't shoot me!'

"The plane had passed over and was quite a distance away. He put the flag up and was coming back bullets...."

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RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Lovely To Look At (From Roberto); When I Grow Too Old To Dream (From 'The Night Is Young')..... Irene Dunne (Soprano) with Orch.; There's No One With Endurance (Crumit, Curtis); When, Josephine (Crumit, Burt)..... Frank Crumit; Nimble Fingered Gentleman (Billy Mayerl); Mistletoe (Billy Mayerl).... Billy Mayerl (Piano Solo); The Merry Middles (B. Brodie)..... Xylophone Duet by W. W. Bennett and Ernst Slatney accompanied by the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra conducted by Sir Dan Godfrey; Dance Of The Merry Middles (Albert W. Ketelbey).... Orchestra Raymond.

8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 London Relay—'World Affairs.'

A talk by A. P. Newton, Rhodes Professor of Imperial History in the University of London.

8.15 Studio—A Recital by Anne Winter (Soprano) accompanied by A. T. Lay (Piano).

8.40 Studio—A Concert by Z.B.W. Orchestra.

1. Piazza del Popolo (Frederiksen); 2. Dance Of The Sylphs (Marquardt); 3. To You! (Czibulka)..... Z.B.W. Orchestra; 4. O Gathering Clouds (Arr. Bain) Love's Secret (Blake—Bantock)..... John McCormack (Tenor) piano accomp. by Edwin Schneider; 5. Valse—Children Of Vienna (Strauss)..... Z.B.W. Orchestra; 6. Son O' Mine (From 'Freebooter' Songs—W. Wallace); The Rebel (From 'Freebooter Songs—W. Wallace)..... Dennis Noble (Baritone) with Piano; 7. Selections from 'The Merry Widow' (Lehar)..... Z.B.W. Orchestra.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.30 Military Band Music.

Washington Post (Sousa).... The Band Of H.M. Welsh Guards under the Direction of Major Andrew Harris with Male chorus; 'Review Of The Troops'; Intro: Scipio; King Cotton; Galopade; Cock of the North; God Save the King; May Blossom; Royal Artillery Slow March; British Grenadiers; Highland Laddie; St. Patrick's Day; Men of Harlech; Money Music; Wait for the Wagon.... Band Of H.M. Welsh Guards.

10.0 London Relay—The Royal National Eisteddfod Of Wales, Cardiff, 1938.

Welcome to Overseas Visitors. A commentary on the scene as visitors from overseas are welcomed on the Eisteddfod platform from the Eisteddfod Pavilion, Sophia Gardens, Cardiff.

10.20 A Welsh Programme.

Gipsy Laughing Chorus (J. Bell) Rhonda Welsh Glee Singers; Ar Hyd Y Nos (All Through The Night—Old Welsh Air); My Little Welsh Home (Songs of the Welsh Mountaineers—Williams).... Leila Megano (Contralto) with Piano; Welsh Memories—Vocal Medley (Arr. Evans and Francis); Intro: Bells of Aberdovey; The Blackbird; The Ashgrove; Men of Harlech; All through the Night; Watching the Wheat; David of The White Rock; Land of my Fathers..... The Maestros (Vocal Quintette) with Orchestra; Cywydd Y Gof (The Blacksmith's Song—Gwilym Hiralteg); Breuddor Bywyd (The Frailty Of Life—Bardd Nanlyn)..... William Edwards with Harp accomp. by Telynores Gwynnill; Menstru Gwen (Old Welsh Song); Yu Inch I Ti Cumi! (Adieu To Dear Cambria—Old Welsh Song)..... Evan Williams (Tenor) with Orchestra.

10.50 Light Orchestra.

Tackledway (Collins); Chinese Legend (Schulenburg, arr. Ellinger).... The Richard Cream Orchestra; Jalouse—Tango (Gade); Serenade from 'Frasquita' (Lehar)..... Emil Roost and His Orchestra.

11.0 Close Down.

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SHUTTING EYES
TO DANGER

Every one must realise the terrible potentialities of the current Russo-Japanese dispute and the danger to the peace of the world which is growing ominously large at Changku-feng, a hilly few square miles of country near the junction of the borders of Manchukuo, Russia and Korea. But it seems to be the policy of the European capitals to shut their eyes to the facts and hope for the best. That attitude has been characteristic of the British Government as much as any other during the last few years and may have been in a large measure responsible for the successful series of coups which ambitious leaders recently accomplished at the expense of lesser states. But if the Great Powers could afford to trust to luck and the League of Nations in such crises as that which grew between Yugo-Slavia and Hungary following the assassination of King Alexander; or that which followed the original German threat to invade Austria, which brought the Italians swiftly to the Brenner Pass; or that which developed with intervention in Spain; or that which arose out of the Italian invasion of Ethiopia, or any of those other

Don't Call Your Child a Liar

By the time I was four or five I felt my sins were so enormous that I was entirely black inside. This wasn't just a vague feeling but a conviction so vivid that when I fell down and grazed myself the pain disappeared in my relief at seeing the blood run red. Not that a gallon of red blood could have altered my belief, but it concealed the damning state of affairs from my nurse and parents.

My parents were not unusually strict; on the contrary, it often astonished me how lightly they would treat some misdemeanour for which I expected little less than death. We had swings and a big garden and a house built by my brother and me so high among the branches of a dead tree that no adult could reach it.

But there were certain things that were looked on severely, and of these the Lie was the worst.

I expect my grandparents held it in greater horror than did my parents, for there were rumours of their children being shut up in dark rooms and restricted to bread and water because



of it. Nothing like that ever happened to us, and my brother, as far as I can remember, was never once accused of telling a lie. But on myself from the earliest years a fatal curse had fixed itself: I was a liar.

How it began I don't know. Did I in my cot clutch my brother's rag-books so fiercely to myself that I implied, even before I could pronounce the words, that they were mine? Still earlier did I pretend that I had had nothing to drink for hours, although the bottle had only just been wrested from my inebriate grip?

From the time I can remember clearly there were two kinds of lie in which I specialised. The first didn't feel like a lie at all, because there was none of that fearful strain as the words approached my tongue, as, my eyes stiff with horror, I seemed to watch it flow out involuntarily into the air in front of me.

I said, coming in from the woods at the bottom of the garden with a rusty spear in his hands. Hidden in the hills around my preparatory school was an army of Bolsheviks with pistols firing pins which sounded like raindrops against the window. In the privet hedge which shut off the vegetable garden from the lawn I had seen in a strange

whom I was friendly dismissed as "story-telling." It covered most of the routine events of my life—had I washed my hands, did I want to go to the lavatory, had I stolen my brother's pocket knife?

The answer to these questions, if it was supplied by me, was known to be untrustworthy; in fact, it was usually looked on as the opposite of the

BY TANGYE LEAN

flood of yellow light an officer wearing naval uniform kiss a girl who had her arm around his shoulder.

But the last of these I never told to anyone, because I had learnt by then that it was dangerous. There was a slight stiffening in the atmosphere as you talked; then, if you paused, a strangely intent look and two or three icy questions which exposed the impossibility of what you said. After that the

truth, so that I have often thought the desire to appear innocent can scarcely have been among my motives, since the jury returned its verdict before the trial had begun.

Well, there it was: I told deliberate lies, the fact was acknowledged throughout the family, for by now my brother, whose thoughts had once been more merciful, had been infected by the doctrine of sin, and to safeguard himself when it was a question of apportioning blame would invoke my reputation.

Often I used to feel so furious that I could, like the enfeebled Samson, have lifted giant pillars with to bring destruction on their

heads, and my threats with that I wasted all that strength and horror. It seems a pity that children are not endowed with intelligence and a sense of justice instead of stupidity and a crippling load of guilt, because more lies are told to them than to any class of people except tax commissioners, and the children are not able to expose them.

They are told that they were found under gooseberry bushes, that the old man dressed in red sacks and a false beard is Father Christmas, that it will ruin if they don't behave themselves, that they don't grow up at all if they don't do this and that; and although they are half aware that these things are lies, they don't know enough to be able to refute them, they feel only a dim sense of outrage at being accused of the crime from which they themselves continually suffer.

The lie, I know, is a necessary part of civilisation; all kind and good-hearted people use it as well as nurses on the lookout for expedient threats; but don't let them vent their own sense of guilt like aerial torpedoes on the children they are supposed to be educating.

The other day when I was in the country I was walking past a hedge which borders a cottage garden. There was a woman bending over one of the flowerbeds and a small boy ran up to her making a noise like a one cylinder petrol engine. "Mummy," he roared, "Mummy! I'm a wasp!"

And then as I stopped dead to listen—for it seemed to me a terrific situation, and I thought his voice had faltered a bit on the last word as if he were not quite certain of its truth—there was a pause in which everything seemed to hold its breath.

But the mother stirred slightly over her plants and said, "Well, don't sting me, will you?" and I was already walking on up the road with joy in my heart, and I could hear the small boy threatening her, "I might, Mummy, I might, because I'm such a big one."

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had that shirt laundered while we were in European countries!

SLANDER SUIT
AGAINST M.P.Sequel To Scene
After Meeting.

A scene after a meeting of Bernadsey, (London) Labour Trades Council led to a slander action against Dr. Alfred Salter, Labour M.P. for West Bernadsey, in the King's Bench Division.

Mr. Edwin Joseph Salvidge, of Long Lane, Bernadsey, a member of the Executive of the local Labour Party, was the plaintiff.

Eventually the action was withdrawn, with no order as to costs. Afterwards Dr. Salter, it was alleged, said, pointing his finger at Mr. Salvidge: "You are a humbug, a scoundrel and a blackguard. You have used obscene language at public meetings."

Counsel added that Dr. Salter admitted speaking the words "humbug" and "blackguard," but denied the word "scoundrel" or the reference to obscene language.

AN APOLOGY

In answer to Mr. G. O. Slade (for Dr. Salter), Mr. Salvidge admitted that the M.P. wrote to him: "I am very sorry that in the heat of the moment I wronged you. My apology is unhesitating and unequivocal. Yours fraternally."

Mr. Slade: Your answer was a writ.

Lord Hewart: That was not very fraternal.

Mr. King Anningson said that Mr. Salter's chief objection was in regard to a suggestion in Dr. Salter's letter that he had consorted with bullies and blackguards from the Communist Party who tried to break up Labour meetings.

Mr. Salvidge is prepared to withdraw that allegation, said Mr. King Anningson.

"Mr. Salvidge is prepared to withdraw the action."

LIFEBELT,
TIED, COST
HIS LIFE

Because lifebelts have to be tied up at Blackpool to prevent people playing with them a hero lost his life.

He was 20-years-old Clifford Burns, of Hibernian-street, Beane, Bolton.

On holiday, he plunged into the sea to save his friend, 17-years-old Miss Constance Wheelin, of Little Hulton.

At the inquest recently a witness said: "My wife and I struggled to get a lifebelt free, knowing a life was at stake. We could not get it off. It was tied to a post."

"When we broke the rope we were were too late."

SHOULD BE FOOLPROOF

Returning a verdict of Death by Misadventure, the coroner said:

"People who play about with lifebelts and make it necessary to fasten them are indirectly responsible for this man's death."

A lifebelt which cannot easily be put down might as well not be there.

"They should be secured in a way that fools both young and old when they play about with them and have not the intelligence to appreciate what they are for."

"After to-day I am sure we shall see a thorough patrolling and testing of lifebelts, probably a better method of fastening them."

"Sentimental
Bloke" Author
Is Dead

Melbourne.
C. J. Dennis, known throughout the English speaking world as author of "The Sentimental Bloke," died in a private hospital in Melbourne, at the age of 61.

A frail, quiet little man who knew human nature well, he knew especially well what was hidden under the roughest exteriors because he had lived and worked with men of all types, suffered hardships and enjoyed pleasures.

He created an entirely new Australian form of humour combined with sentiment, in a language seldom employed in verse. He obtained amusing effect with an entirely original manner.

STORKS TOO LAZY
TO BUILD NESTS

Copenhagen.
A small factory has just been started in Jutland for the manufacture of storks' nests.

Danish farmers like to have a stork nesting on their roofs, but they find that the bird is lazy, and unless a nest is provided usually flies to the south. The nest factory, the only one in the world, is now producing several nests a day and is finding a ready market.

BRITISH FIRMS FIGHT
RIGHTS IN CHINA

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which was anchored alongside a light vessel, but they failed to register a hit. Captain Crawley immediately crossed the river and beached the ship on the north bank of the Yangtze, but the vessel shortly afterwards suffered a direct hit by a bomb and was gutted.

Killed Wading Ashore

Captain Crawley and two Chinese were believed to have been killed by machine-gun bullets while making their way ashore. The naval doctor reports that Captain Crawley's death was due to machine-gunning.

It is possible that Captain Crawley was shot while wading ashore as it now transpires that his body floated a short way down the river and was brought back to the beached vessel by Chinese fishermen.

Flew Low Over Gnat

H.M.S. Gnat also had an exciting experience when Japanese planes flew overhead. One of these passed within a stone's throw of the bridge. However, the Union Jack was prominently displayed and the Japanese machines proceeded on their way.

The news of Captain Crawley's death has been conveyed to his wife, who was deeply shocked, and had to be rushed to hospital immediately.

Captain Crawley informed Reuters' correspondent and a handful of other foreigners on Monday that he was making a cruise down the river. He said: "I don't look forward to the trip. I feel something is going to happen."

Americans Safe

Washington, Aug. 3

The American Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson Johnson, has notified the State Department that American nationals at Kiating are safe.

He said he had moved the Embassy to Chungking, maintaining only temporary headquarters at Hankow.

He added that he and members of his staff were going to Chungking aboard the gunboat Luzon, conveyed by the U.S.S. Tutuila. The latter would remain at Chungking, while the U.S.S. Luzon would return to Hankow. United Press

OUR GUIDE
TO THE
CINEMAS

"**Thi Take Romance**" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Miss Grace Moore demonstrating, in an arch romance with music, that a Metropolitan prima donna may be able to sing, act, and dance. The latter speak fluently in four, and still act superbly. A young publicity agent from Buenos Ayres, played by Melvyn Douglas.

"**Love, Honour and Behave**" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—An attractive film which owes much more to cost and production than to story and whose principal merit is the introduction to motion picture audiences of Priscilla Lane, sister of Lola and Rosemary Lane. She is petite, volatile, determined and refreshingly different from the run-of-the-mill Hollywood ladies.

"**Dangerously Yours**" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—A battle of wits on an ocean liner filled with crooks after a famous diamond. Good entertainment, but nothing really out of the ordinary about the theme. Cesar Romero and Phyllis Brooks supply the romantic interest.

"**Dangerous to Know**" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—A suave Alvin Karpis, a big racketeer who seeks to enjoy society life as well as political and financial control of the city in which he lives. Fast, well-acted holism. Gail Patrick, Anna May Wong and Harvey Stephens keep the film at a good pace.

"**Dinner at the Ritz**" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—Made in England with an excellent cast, this is a sleek melodrama. Annabella, French actress, plays the daughter of a banker who has been financially ruined and determined to seek them out and assassinate several disguised to do so. Aiding her are Romney Brent, David Niven, Paul Lukas and Francis L. Sullivan.

HOW COUNTIES STAND
IN CRICKET TABLE

					1st Inns. Result on win, but 1st Inns. match						
County	P.	W.	L.	T.	lost	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Av.	
Pts. Awarded	12	12	—	0	4	4	—	2	—	—	
Yorkshire	20	14	2	—	—	3	1	—	180	9.000	
Middlesex	18	11	4	—	—	—	—	—	130	8.500	
Lancashire	20	12	3	—	1	3	2	—	156	7.800	
Surrey	19	10	4	—	1	3	2	—	136	7.150	
Somerset	19	8	6	—	—	4	1	—	112	5.600	
Derbyshire	19	7	6	—	2	3	2	—	104	5.778	
Essex	10	7	10	—	3	1	1	—	100	5.203	
Leicestershire	15	4	2	—	3	7	2	—	76	5.000	
Kent	20	6	9	—	2	4	1	—	100	4.545	
Hampshire	22	8	10	—	1	2	3	—	98	4.533	
Warwickshire	16	6	8	—	3	2	5	—	92	4.381	
Sussex	21	6	8	—	—	—	—	—	92	4.000	
Worcestershire	23	7	5	—	2	1	7	—	92	4.000	
Nottingham	18	4	8	—	2	2	4	1	60	3.407	
Glamorgan	16	3	7	—	1	3	2	—	62	3.407	
Gloucestershire	20	8	10	—	1	4	3	1	58	2.000	
Northants	18	—	11	—	1	2	5	—	12	587	

AIR FREIGHT
RATES CUT
ON PACIFIC

The local representatives of Pan American Airways Company have announced that effective with Flight 232, scheduled to depart from Hongkong on August 10, all air express cargo rates from Hongkong to Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and San Francisco have been reduced considerably.

Previously the cost per pound of shipping parcels by Clipper from Hongkong to San Francisco was U.S.\$4.48. This has been reduced to U.S.\$2.10. Similarly, the Hongkong-Manila rate of U.S.\$0.54 per pound has been reduced to U.S.\$0.37; Hongkong to Guam, from U.S.\$1.07 to U.S.\$0.90 per pound; Hongkong-Honolulu, from U.S.\$3.28 to U.S.\$1.59 per pound.

Since the inauguration of Clipper service to Hongkong, air express has proved to be a boon to foreign firms in the Orient, for all types of commodities, samples, perishable goods, bullion, articles of high intrinsic value, documents, etc., have been shipped between Hongkong and the United States by this means. Swallow embroidery merchants have realized valuable trade advantages from the use of air express in the forwarding of their samples to United States markets; newsreel cameramen covering the Sino-Japanese war have forwarded thousands of feet of film, which is shown one week later in American motion picture houses because of this fast service; hundreds of pounds of anti-tetanus, anti-gangrene serum, chloroform, ether, and other medical supplies have been rushed by Clipper to aid China's wounded and bomb victims; countless other shipments such as press photographs, commercial documents, blueprints, specifications, oil samples, bullet outfits and even feathers have crossed the Pacific to speed foreign trade and defeat its greatest enemy, time.

It is anticipated that these new cheap rates will prove to be a definite stimulus to present and prospective users of Pan-American Airways' international air express service.

MODIFIED SERVICE APPROVED

Washington, Aug. 3

Pan-American Airways has announced that the Post Office has approved a modified weekly schedule, skipping every third Wednesday.

It is emphasized that the delay in the departure of the Philippines Clipper until Saturday is merely to allow better spacing between the two ships, after which the schedule will be August 17 and 24, September 7, 14 and 21. United Press.

BOXING
TITLE
IN BALANCE

New York, Aug. 2.
Explaining the reason why the New York Boxing Association will not recognize Al Hostak as middleweight champion at present, Bill Brown, the Commissioner, stated that the Association was investigating reports that the same boxing organization controlled both Freddie Steele and Hostak. United Press.

Al Hostak, following his technical decision over Freddie Steele in the middleweight championship bout last month, was recognized by the National Boxing Association as champion, but the New York Association caused a surprise by then announcing that they could not follow the N.B.A.

RECENT BOUTS

San Francisco, Aug. 2.
In a heavyweight bout at Los Angeles, Chuck Crowell, 215 lbs., of Artesia, California, beat Al Bray, 210 lbs., a Barbados negro, on points over ten rounds.

At Clearfield, Pennsylvania, Billy Hoese, 159 lbs., of Pennsylvania, knocked out Eric Lawson, 165 lbs., of New York, in the fifth of an eight-round contest.

At Detroit, Ted Keating, 175 lbs., of Toronto, beat Henry Palmer, 182 lbs., of Cleveland, on points over ten rounds.

At Newark, New Jersey, Tippy Larkin, 136 lbs., of Garfield, knocked out Eddie Zivic, 138 lbs., of Pittsburgh, in the first of a ten rounds contest. United Press.

CHINESE DESTROY
TWELVE RAIDERS

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Yangtze River early yesterday morning, when one enemy vessel and many enemy planes on the ground were severely damaged and two of a group of 10 Japanese planes which challenged them were shot down.

The Chinese raiders first attacked the aerodrome. Power and diving low, they dumped tons of bombs. Many Japanese planes were believed to have been damaged.

After raiding the aerodrome, they flew over the Yangtze River and struck at a concentration of 12 Japanese warships. One of them was hit and severely damaged.

At this juncture a squadron of 10 Japanese planes rose to give battle. In the ensuing dogfight, two Japanese planes were hit and crashed in flames. All Chinese planes returned safely to their base.

The Chinese gunner who was responsible for the destruction of both the Japanese machines was hit by a bullet in the leg. But despite his wound, he continued to fight.

The propeller of one of the Chinese planes was hit by Japanese bullets. But with great presence of mind and dexterity the Chinese pilot steered the machine back safely to the base together with other planes. Central News.

PLANES CROSS
BORDER

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press. He appealed to them to foster a spirit of goodwill. Forty years' experience, he said, had taught him that permanent peace was only secured on a basis of mutual consent. He hoped to be the friend of all, and the enemy of none.

There were hopes of settling the trouble if they started the work in a spirit of goodwill and exercised patience.

Negotiations between the Government and the Sudeteners formally opened when Dr. Milan Hodza, the Premier, received the Sudeten leaders. Herr Kundt and Herr Roske.

A communiqué issued afterwards announced that conversations would be continued and the method of discussion only altered if there were any new developments outside the present conditions. This is interpreted to mean that Lord Runciman's presence may entail modification of procedure. Reuter.

STOCK MARKET
REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, reads:

Market was dull but prices are generally being maintained.

Buyers	Sellers
Hongkong Bank (Lon.) 400 x.d.	Canton Insurance 322 1/2
Union Waterworks 95	Providents (Old) 33 1/2
Inds. 27 1/2	Providents (New) 33 1/2
Venz. Goldfield 35	H.K. Lands 30
H. & S. Hotels 10 1/2	H.K. Govt. 4 1/2 Loan 5 1/2 pm
H.K. Lands 4 1/2	H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 Loan 1 1/2 pm
H.K. Realities 15 1/2	Marsmans (H.K.) 3 1/2
H.K. Tramways 27 1/2	
Peak Tram (Old) 30 1/2	
Yau-mai Ferry (Old) 24 1/2	
Yau-mai Ferry (New) 24 1/2	
China Life (Old) 10 1/2	
H.K. Electric 100 1/2	
Telephone (Old) 20 1/2	
Cenote 10 1/2	
Watsons 17 1/2	
Construction 11 1/2	
H.K. Govt. 4 1/2 Loan 5 1/2 pm	
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 Loan 1 1/2 pm	
Marsmans (H.K.) 3 1/2	

U. S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

New York, Aug. 3.

New York Cotton	Opening	Closing
October	8.47/40	8.46/46
December	8.54/54	8.52/53
Jan. (1939)	8.50/50	8.55/55
Mar. (1939)	8.61/61	8.60/61
May (1939)	8.64/64	8.63/63
July (1939)	8.67/67	8.66/66
Spot	—	8.56

New York Rubber	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
15.96b/16.00a	15.90 N	16.00b/03a	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12	16.10/12

Sales for the day: 4,550 tons.

Chicago Wheat	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4	67 1/2/67 3/4

Tuesday's Sales: 17,163,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
55 1/2/55 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4	54 1/2/54 3/4

Whinnier Wheat	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4	70 1/2/70 3/4

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12.30 Lucienne Boyer (Soprano) and Continental Orchestra.

Suite De Danse—Intermezzo (Eduard Kunneke), Suite De Danse (Eduard Kunneke), Suite De Danse (Eduard Kunneke).

—Valse Melancolique (Eduard Kunneke), —Otto Dobrinski and Eugen Wolff Orchestras; Mon Ami Le Vent (Chanson) (Allain Dhurtal—Jean Deletré), Ta Main (Hans Aerns the Table) (Chanson) (Maurice Auber—Jean Deletré), —Lucienne Boyer; Melodious Intermezzo (Eduard Kunneke), La Follette (Salvatore Marchesi), —Erich Olschewski and His Orchestra; D'Amour En Amour—Melodie (Leo Lelievre—Jean Deletré), La Voyance—Chanson (Maurice Auber—Jean Deletré), —Lucienne Boyer; Mal De Avenir—Tango (Chanson) (Pelay), Pura Milonga—Tango (Jose Pecora), —Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro.

1.0 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 Charles Kullman and The New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Prelude (Haydn Wood), Intermezzo (Coiridge-Taylor), —Orchestra; The World Is Mine To-night (Marvell and Posford), By The Dark Lagoon—An Island Serenade (Badeley and Leigh), —Charles Kullman (Tenor); Danse Des Amouche (Culbert Clarke), —Orchestra; At Dawning Cadman), —Orchestra.

Love, Here Is My Heart (Ross and Silesu), Vale (d'Arcey and Russell), —Charles Kullman (Tenor); Cavatina (Raff), —Orchestra.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 The Mills Brothers and Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

Fox-Trot Medley (Fast Tempo); Intro—Robert-e-Lee; I want to be happy; I ain't got Nobody; Fox-Trot Medley (Slow Tempo); Intro—Birth of the Blues; Choe; Shine on Harvest Moon, —Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins on two Planos with String Bass and Drums; Swing Is The Thing (From "Blackbirds of 1938"); "Long About Midnight (Mills, Hill), —The Mills Brothers; Shine (Dubney); My Sweetie Went Away (Turk and Handman); Sweet Jenny Lee (Donaldson); Farewell Blues (Rappolo, Mares and Schoebel); You Rascal You (Theard); Muddy Waters (Trent, De Rose and Richman), —Harry Roy and His Tiger Ragamuffins; Sweet Sue, Just You; Heebie Jeebies; I Wonder Where My Baby Is To-night; Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins; My Oldie Regrets (From Walker-Nesbitt's "Hi Diddle Diddle"); My Headache (Razaf Johnson), —The Mills Brothers; Fate (Byron Gay); Way Down Yonder in New Orleans (Creamer—Layton), —Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

1.5 Close Down.

6.0 Studio—The Children's Hour.

7.0 Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.02 A Variety Programme with Murgatroyd and Winterbottom, Billy Mayerl, Frank Crumit and The Ballyhoolligans.

Somebody Stole My Gal—Fox-Trot; Temptation Rag—Fox-Trot; The Ballyhoolligans; The Three Trees (McNaughton), Frank Crumit; Sweet Nothings (Rettensberg); Jasmine (A Syncopated Impression—Billy Mayerl), —Billy Mayerl (Piano); Grub (Crick—Handley—Frankau); Music (Crick—Handley—Frankau); Murgatroyd and Winterbottom; Whispering—Fox-Trot; Nobody's Sweetheart—Fox-Trot; The Ballyhoolligans; Rumba Medley; Intro—Mama Inez; Peanut Vendor; Sweet Muechach; Cubalero; Lady in Red; South American Joe, —Cuban Marimba Band with vocal chorus; (Continued on Page 5.)

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FINCHER BEATS COATES IN BOWLS TOURNAMENT

SPLENDID GAME SEEN IN THIRD ROUND SINGLES HYDE-LAY ONLY FORMER CHAMPION REMAINING

(By "Abe")

With the defeat of A. E. Coates by E. C. Fincher on the Indian R.C. green yesterday afternoon, A. Hyde-Lay is the only former champion left in the Lawn Bowls singles championship of the Colony. Hyde-Lay was to have played A. E. Carey at Kowloon Docks yesterday, but the tie was postponed as the green was not in a fit condition for play.

A very heavy shower fell at Kowloon just before 5 p.m. yesterday, but by then Fincher, Coates, J. E. Henson and W. K. Way were already on their way down to the Indian R.C. and it was decided to wait a few minutes to see how the green would turn out. The players' optimism was rewarded; at 5.45 p.m. the water had soaked in and play was then commenced.

Bowls Results At A Glance

Only two matches were played in the Lawn Bowls singles championship of the Colony yesterday, the results being as follows:

Third Round

E. C. Fincher beat A. E. Coates 21-17 on the 26th W. K. Way beat J. E. Henson 21-16 on the 25th.

Fincher and Coates had a very close game all the way, the former winning out by 21-17. The green played surprisingly well in spite of the early rain. If anything, it was on the fast side, especially towards the closing stage of the match.

Fincher preferred the long heads, in which he almost invariably scored, while Coates liked the short ones.

COATES TAKES LEAD

At the end of the tenth head, the score was 7-0 in favour of Fincher, but with a series of short heads, Coates forged ahead to 13-7 at the end of the 14th. Though he conceded a brace on the 15th, Coates went further ahead to 16-9 on the 17th. Then he got stuck, Fincher winning seven heads in a row to lead 20-16. Fincher nearly reached game on the 24th when he was leading 18-16. Lying one, Fincher pushed out Coates' second shot, which was lying a foot in front of the jack, leaving himself with two for sure and measure for third. When the tape was applied, it was found that Coates had the third by an eighth of an inch.

This was only a delay of the end, however, for after giving away a single, Fincher obtained his winning shot on the 26th for the match.

Throughout a high standard was maintained, there being some fine heads played. Coates was not quite as consistent as his opponent, but his last wood saved him on several occasions from big counts. On the 20th head, for instance, Fincher, trailing 14-16, was lying four beauties when Coates had his last wood to roll,

and the C.C.C. player pushed up a front wood to take second shot. In at least two other heads when Fincher was lying two, Coates came up with his last wood to sit on the jack.

HENSON BEATEN

On an adjoining rink, W. K. Way eliminated J. E. Henson by 21-16. There were also some good heads played in this match, in which Way had a good start and a good finish. He had seven before Henson started with a two, but a four on the ninth took him to 11-3. Henson then made a good recovery, and with the help of a three and three twos, he was on level terms at 16-18 on the 22nd. It was here that Way made his final point, taking three twos in a row to terminate the match.

TO-DAY'S MATCH

According to the official programme, only one match will be played in the third round of the singles to-day. At the Club de Recreio, T. Coleman will meet G. C. Norman, who beat a club-mate, J. S. Logan, in the second round. This should prove a good game as both men are playing very well at the moment. Norman, though not as experienced as the Kowloon Dock man, has become one of the best senior players in the Colony, and as C. M. Silva has so conclusively proved in the course of the current championships, consistency more than makes up for ripe experience.



Don Bradman is shown here as he was bowled by Verity in the first innings of the Second Test at Lord's after he had made only 18. He tried to late-cut a ball which came with the arm and played it on to his wicket. This was the eighth occasion that the Yorkshire left-hander had claimed the great Don's wicket in a Test match. No other bowler in the world has equalled this performance.

TRIBUTES PAID TO SUZANNE LENGLEN

Tributes paid to the memory of Suzanne Lenglen include the following: H. W. Austin: She was without doubt the greatest player and the most brilliant personality that the tennis world has ever known. She was incomparable.

Jacques Brugnon, who was Mlle. Lenglen's mixed doubles partner from 1921 to 1928: Every French tennis player mourns an excellent comrade, a devoted friend, Mlle. Lenglen was for all of us, at the time when French tennis was still in its infancy, a marvellous guide, and no one who made that first trip to Wimbledon with her will ever forget her unequalled advice.

Jean Borotra: Her place in French tennis will never be filled. We her friends will always remember her, and will try to continue the work which she started.

Mrs. Wills Moody: Her success was due to her accuracy, combined with the marvellous intelligence of her play and her perfect sense of strategy. Her ball control was amazing and she never lost her head. It is regrettable that no complete film of her play was made, since it would constitute an inspiration for all of us.

Miss Helen Jacobs: Suzanne was one of my best friends. We often played together and she taught me a great deal.

W. Tilden: Her knowledge of tennis has had a great influence on the development of the game since she became a professional.

Rene Lacoste: She personified the genius of tennis in its highest form. The magnificent work that she did for young players must at all costs be perpetuated, and I should like to see created a "Suzanne Lenglen" school of tennis.

GOLF COTTON IN MIXED FOURSOMES WINS CALCOT EVENT WITH MRS. DE MOSS

Henry Cotton, the open champion, and Mrs. de Moss, who won the Austrian women's championship last year, won the mixed foursomes competition at Calcut, Reading, recently. Playing from a handicap of four they finished with 69, 70-139 net.

A. H. Padgham, champion two years ago, and Miss I. Duxford, who were the back-markers, were level at 69 net, with Mrs. de Moss and Cotton after one round, but faltered afterwards to finish three strokes behind.

Cotton and his partner played well to turn in 35, but dropped strokes on the inward half. At the tenth they took three putts after Cotton had driven the green-232 yards. Mrs. de Moss failed from 5ft. at the short 13th, which cost them four, and they took three putts at the 15th.

The best hole in the round was the 14th (408 yards), where Cotton hit a long drive, Mrs. de Moss played a good iron shot, and Cotton holed the putt of 20ft. for a three. In the afternoon they went out in 37, and in a homeward half of 37, once again took 4's at the short 10th and 13th, both one-shot holes. But they also had another 3 at the long 14th, where Cotton holed from 7ft.

Padgham and Miss Duxford (1) played well for their net 69 in the morning, being out in 36 and home in a splendid 34. They virtually lost their place when taking seven at the second hole (267 yards) in the afternoon.

Turning in 38 they were only two over 4's, with four holes to play, but required three putts at the 15th, which gave them no chance of overhauling Cotton and Mrs. de Moss, despite a steady finish of 4 3 4.

Mrs. de Moss and T. H. Cotton (Ashridge) (4), 69, 70-139. Miss I. Duxford and A. H. Padgham (Sunningdale) (1) 69 70-140. Lady D. Neumann and W. Smithers (Sunningdale) (5) 73 70-143. Miss Baker and F. Wallis (Farnham) (5), 72, 73-145. Mrs. Gardiner and L. Holland (Gerrards)

IRISH TENNIS TITLE FOR MRS. MOODY

London, July 11. Mrs. Wills Moody won the Irish lawn tennis title at the Fitzwilliam Club, Dublin, on Saturday, defeating the holder, Miss T. R. Jarvis 6-4, 6-3.

In the men's singles final D. Anderson (U.S.A.) beat G. L. Rogers, the holder, 6-3, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

Singles finals at other tournaments resulted as follows:

Leicester: W. C. Choy (China) beat G. R. B. Meredith, 6-4, 6-4; Mrs. Haylock beat Miss M. Hiddell, 6-3, 6-2.

Edgbaston: F. Puncce (Yugoslavia) beat Kho Sin Kie (China), 7-5, 6-7, 6-4; Miss R. M. Hardwick defeated Madame Mattheu (France), 7-5, 6-1. Borotra and Gentien (France) beat Puncce and Mitche, 10-8, 6-4, 6-4.

Both E. J. Filby and E. R. Avery, the two remaining British players left in the German men's singles championships, lost their matches yesterday (says Reuter). Filby was beaten by R. Gopfert (Germany) 6-3, 6-2, 6-4, and Avery lost to H. Redl 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

In the women's singles Miss Valerie Scott beat Fraulein Morzeck (Germany) 6-4, 6-0, and Miss Margot Lumb beat Miss E. Wederkind (Germany) 6-4, 6-4.

Donald Budge added the Czechoslovakian Championship to his titles when he beat L. Hecht, the Davis Cup player, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4 at Prague.

At Noordwyk Mrs. Heine Miller won the Dutch championship by beating Miss Nancy Wynne in the final 6-0, 6-2.

Cross) (5), 75 71-146. Miss N. Gibbons (Sunningdale) and P. P. Wynne (Bathwood Hall) (2), 72, 73-148. Mrs. Hutchinson and A. J. Miles Denham) (4), 72, 74-146. Mrs. Beeson and E. E. Whitcombe (Farnham) (3), 70 74, 69-146. Miss Baker and W. J. Cox (Wimbledon Park) (4), 74 72-146. Miss D. Stephens and A. Poulton (Burhill) (4 5), 71 74 74-146.

WOODERSON BEATS THE BUSTLERS IN SOUTHERN MEET

By Fred Dartnell

London, June 27.

The sixteenth Southern Athletic Championships, held at Gillingham, attracted a satisfactory response from the public, but was not altogether a success from the competitors' point of view. Ten out of the sixteen holders of title were absent, and of the others only A. A. Cooper, the Two Miles Walk champion, succeeded for the eighth time in retaining his honours.

The track was far from being in good order and the poor conditions were probably in a measure responsible for the defeat of five of the champions. Two competitors suffered pulled muscles, A. C. Emphy in the Quarter and A. E. Etheridge in the Three Miles.

The former was going splendidly in his final and 200 yards from home when his accident occurred he promised to win the event, which went to H. E. Pack.

There were no new records established, but Sweeney equalled the 10.8sec. for the 100 yds. made by J. C. Kemp six years ago at the White City.

Sweeney did not turn out in the 400 yds. hurdle race, but considering that he is to run at Antwerp next Sunday and the A.A.A. championships follow so soon after. In his absence A. T. Liffen had a grand struggle up the straight with H. C. Wickerson and bent the Highgate man by a short nose.

BRILLIANT WOODERSON
The strong breeze was not helpful to anybody, but a good time was registered in the 120yds. hurdles by J. St. L. Thornton, of the Achilles. Finlay was, of course, the favourite, but as at the Kinnaird meet a week previously he hit two of his hurdles and was beaten by inches in the run-in. The time 14.8sec. equals the Southern record, but I still fancy Finlay for the big championship in three weeks time.

The outstanding race of the afternoon was, of course, the half-mile, in which Wooderson started against such rivals as Collyer (holder), MacCabe and Powell. The Blackheath man did not have a comfortable journey. He was badly hustled at the opening bend from the pistol and later on boxed up in a suggestive fashion that reminded me of Lovelock's similar experience in the same event at Chelmsford two years ago.

DEFEAT OF WARD
Wooderson made light of the opposition, however. After a daring semicircular dash from sixth place to second, he passed Collyer round the last bend. The latter and MacCabe challenged him fiercely, but Wooderson, looking round first on one side and then the other, galloped home by 10 yards.

D. J. Pell (Hemel Hill) won the mile, which had been in Wooderson's safe keeping for the last three years, but the time was nothing to boast about.

There was a surprise and a thrilling finish to the three miles race. Peter Ward looked a cert for this, but P. B. Hennessey, the Air Force man, had other ideas. When Ward tried his usual dash home Hennessey, on the inside, regained a momentarily lost lead and desperately held it to an inches win.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE
100 Yards—A. W. Sweeney (Milecarian) 11.1. C. Wickerson (Highgate), 2. E. W. Hampshire (L.A.C.), 3. 0.8sec. (equals record).
220 Yards—A. T. Liffen (Ashcombe), 1. H. O. Wickerson (Highgate), 2. S. W. Cannell (Victoria Park), 3. 2.2sec.
440 Yards—H. E. Pack (City Police), 1. A. E. Leggett (London Paper Mills), 2. E. A. Russell (Woodford Green), 3. 0.67 sec.

CHINESE BOXER TO APPEAR IN MANILA

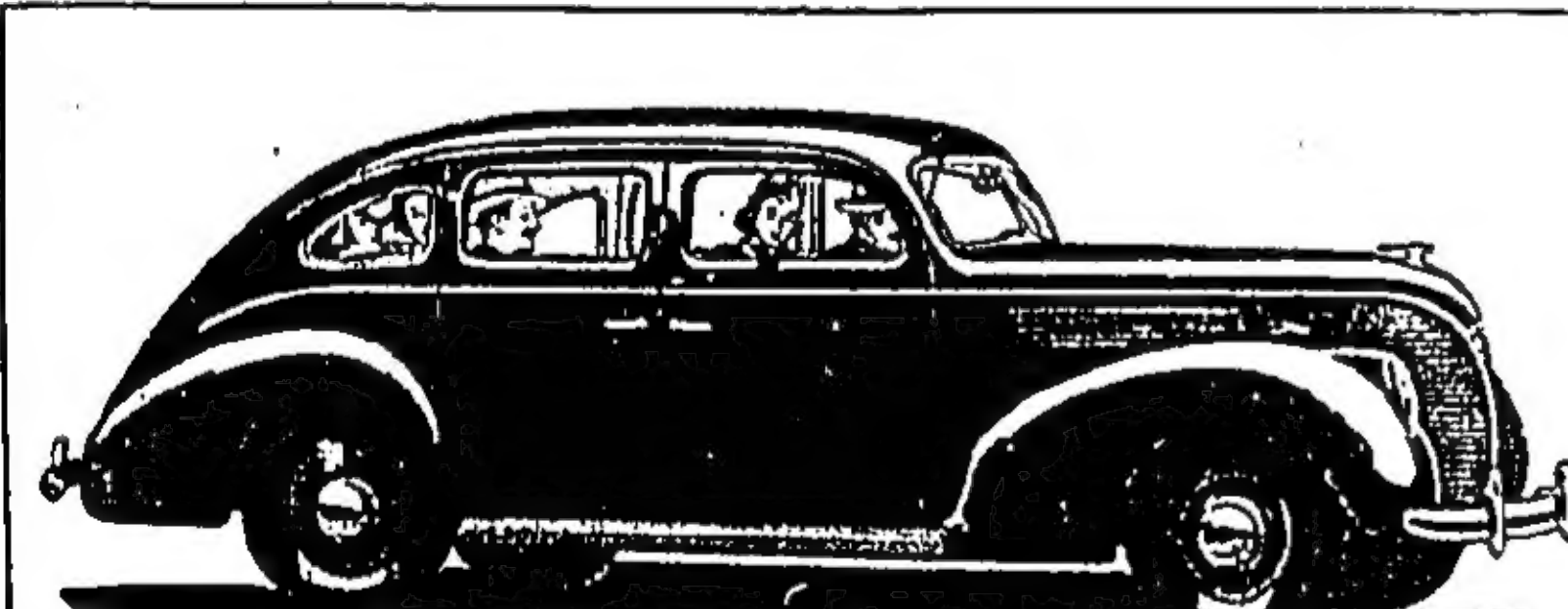
Manila, Aug. 2.

A Chinese beetle-buster, who cherishes the distinction of once having held Pablo Dano, one-time bantamweight champion of California and the Orient, to a draw, will once more don the gloves after a long lay off. The clouting Celestial is Chiu Ka-po, claimant to the bantamweight championship of China.

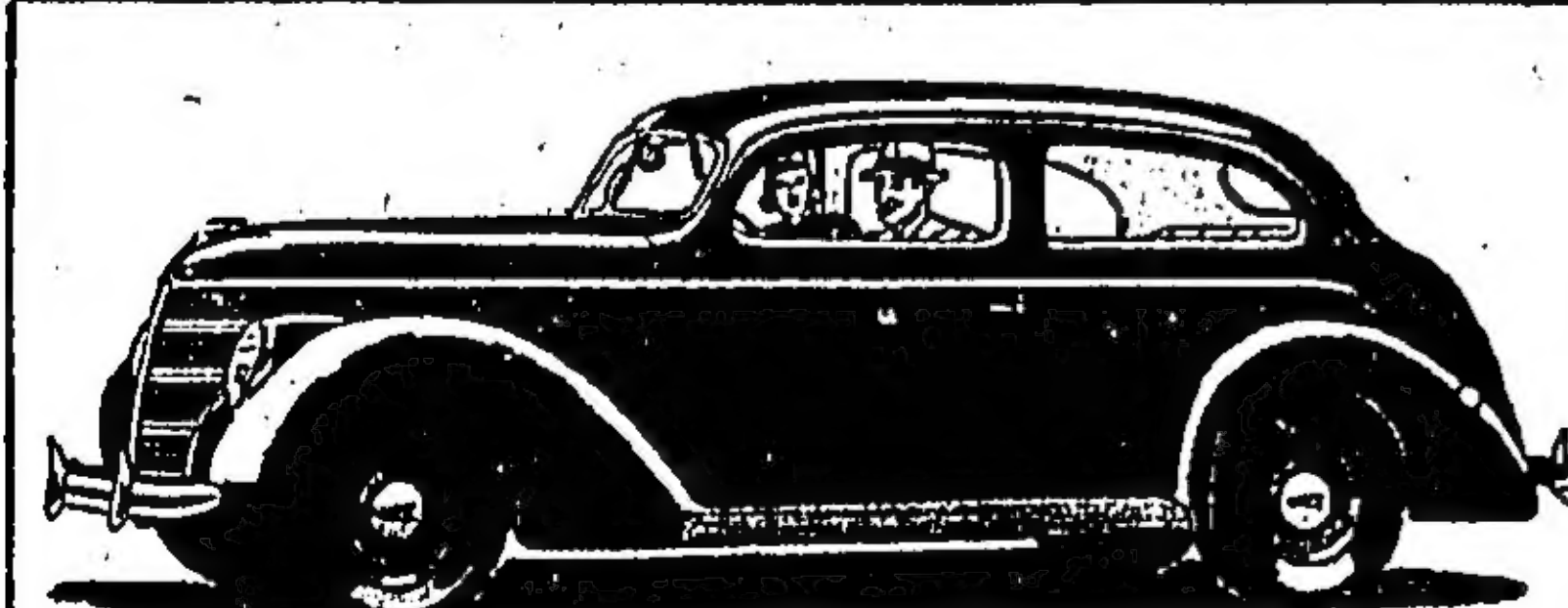
Chiu Ka-po has been signed up to battle Young Santos, former fly-weight champion of the Orient, in the 10-round stellar attraction at the Happy Land Stadium in San Roque, Cavite, on August 6. The card is under the promotion of Paul B. Kong and Henry Lee.

Chiu Ka-po is not unknown to local boxing fans, as he has fought several times here. At present he is working for Paul B. Kong, who is his manager. He stopped Chao Tol-woo in the seventh of a scheduled 10-round bout in Shanghai to cop the bantamweight of the China metropolis.

In Manila he earned a draw with Pablo Dano, before the smiling one went to the United States to earn greater ring glory. He also drew with Kid Limaco, another one of the favourites in these parts a few years back; knocked out Little Sanchez in four rounds and scored a third round technical knockout over Small Eagle.



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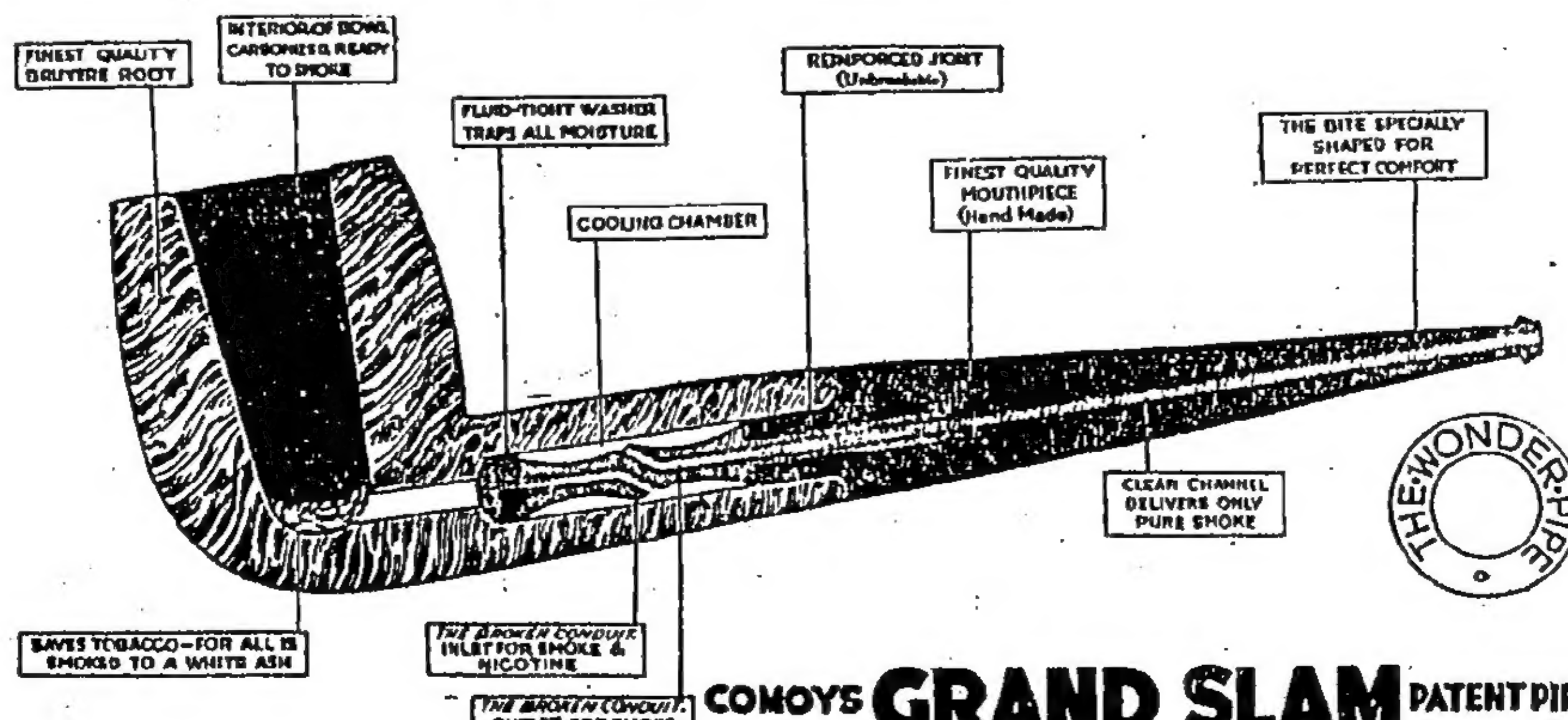
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OXFORD SAVE GAME IN TENSE FINISH AT LORD'S

Pitch Helped Cambridge,
But Bowlers Were Not
Good Enough

By Howard Marshall

OXFORD fought their way to a draw in the 100th University match at Lord's yesterday. Heavy rain delayed play until 4 o'clock, and Oxford, 108 runs behind, carried their score to 126 for six wickets when stumps were drawn at 7.15.

There were some agonising moments in the Oxford innings, for the wicket was extremely unpleasant, and the Cambridge bowlers made the ball lift viciously. Oxford lost four wickets for 41, and complete collapse seemed inevitable, but Grover, Eggar and Whitehouse between them averted the final disaster.

The truth is that the Cambridge bowling was not good enough, and Oxford were allowed to escape. We were, perhaps, lucky to have any cricket at all on such a miserable day, and the 3½ hours' play was at least exciting.

WICKET SPECULATION
It was four o'clock before the faithful few spectators were rewarded, and by that time the sun was shining, and Oxford were wondering what the wicket had in store for them.

Kaye (Nursery End) and Rees-Davies began the Cambridge bowling, and before long Dixon was hit under the heart by a ball from Kaye which lifted sharply. Clearly there was trouble ahead, but Lomas and Dixon played discreetly and well, and it was half an hour before Hewan came on at the Pavilion end, bowling his off breaks round the wicket to a ring of suicidally close short-legs.

As it happened, Kaye struck the first blow for Cambridge, making one rise to Lomas, who was caught off his glove at second slip. The Oxford total then was nine for two wickets, and Dixon and Eggar had an uncomfortable task ahead of them.

AIR OF DESPERATION
They faced it resolutely, and both hit Hewan fiercely through the leg-trap, which was a stimulating sight for Oxford supporters, though there was an air of desperation about it. Actually Hewan was not yet spinning the ball quickly, but undoubtedly he made it lift.

Yardley had a short spell himself, and Eggar hooked him stoutly to the boundary, and then Yardley brought Wild on, and moved Hewan to the Nursery end. Oxford were beginning to look really anxious about this plethora of spin, and at 30, Dixon was caught at leg-slip off Hewan. Dixon had resisted stoutly for 1½ hours, and Cambridge must have been glad to see the back of him.

This was, indeed, a period of severe crisis for Oxford. Kimpton, finding that the ball was standing up most unpleasantly, asked no strokes, but prodded defensively, and three runs later a rather hurried prod at Wild gave Yardley an easy catch in the gully.

CONFIDENT GROVER
This was a tame death for Kimpton, of all people, and with four wickets down, Oxford were struggling horribly. Grover showed no signs of panic, however, and promptly drove Hewan with admirable firmness past mid-off to the boundary, a stroke which seemed to give Oxford fresh confidence.

The score slowly mounted, both batsmen hit four of five, and although Hewan scraped Grover's stumps, the prospect of a draw steadily increased. The wicket was growing more mischievous, and the ball rose uncommonly sharply, but the Cambridge bowlers were uncertain of their length, and Grover and Eggar stood their ground with admirable courage.

Now and again a full-pitch would be despatched to the boundary, but with the score 60 Eggar was i.b.w. to Hewan, and once again Oxford were in danger. Eggar had stayed in valiantly for 100 minutes, and Whitehouse, who followed him, was equally stubborn.

A storm hovered near, and to the appropriate accompaniment of thunder and lightning Whitehouse and

Grover defied Cambridge stolidly. Whitehouse was dropped off Carria at short-leg when the total had been carried to 107, and at 112 Grover, with a difficult job well done, was bowled by Carria.

There were sundry appeals against the light, Whitehouse and Young put their butts doggedly as near the ball as they could, and at 7.15 Oxford had finally saved the match.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY

E. J. H. Dixon, c. Wild, b. Hewan 73
M. M. Watford, c. Langley, b. Hewan 34
H. C. M. Kimpton, c. Rees-Davies, b. Kaye 25
J. D. Eggar, run out 2
J. N. Grover, b. Kaye 2
J. N. Whitehouse, c. Thompson, b. Hewan 30

D. J. Young, lbw b. Hewan 20
D. H. Macindoe, c. Gibb, b. Hewan 0
H. F. H. Darwell-Smith, c. Yardley, b. Hewan 1
W. J. Pershke, not out 1
Total 126

OXFORD UNIVERSITY

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M. M. Watford, c. Carria, b. Rees-Davies 0
H. C. M. Kimpton, c. Yardley, b. Wild 0
J. D. Eggar, lbw, b. Hewan 20
J. N. Grover, b. Carria 25
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Elected Life Member Of Yacht Club

Honour For Sir
Henry Pollock

The Hon. Sir Henry Pollock was elected an honorary life member of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club at the 34th annual general meeting held yesterday.

The Commodore of the Club, Mr. E. Cock was in the chair, and in proposing the adoption of the report and accounts, he said:

The comprehensive report has been in your hands for the prescribed period and with your own knowledge of our activities in which, in one way or another, most of you participated I think I need not enlarge on.

There are one or two special features of the season which I could not pass without note. The Middle Island Club House I feel will ultimately fill a want. Pleasantly situated and of attractive design, I have the feeling that we have done very well on a modest expenditure, but I would like to see more use made of it by members.

We have this year had the unique privilege of meeting with and sailing against His Excellency the Naval Commander-in-Chief, Sir Percy Noble. We esteem the Naval subscribers very highly, and I feel sure that I voice the feeling of the sailing members when I say that there will always be a boat for Sir Percy to sail whenever his important duties can be laid aside for an afternoon. Our Army subscribers are much more with us than the Navy but are no less welcome.

Our dreams of Kellet Island appear as if they will come true and the Committee have had the whole scheme under careful review; the plans are in the Club House for all to see and criticism. It may not be possible to finance the whole scheme at once nor do we think it desirable. What we intend to do is to have so much of it done that the Club will be comfortably usable and leave further developments for the slack summer periods if we find them.

It is very gratifying to me that the Club's position is stronger than ever. I wish I could feel that I was in part responsible. I do not, but I feel that sailing will increase and that we can go forward with confidence.

I have to record my most grateful thanks to the various committees for the support they have given me, and also to the Hon. Secretary and the Hon. Sailing Secretary. (Applause). Seconded by Mr. H. S. Rouse, the proposal for the adoption of the re-



Those popular stars, William Powell and Virginia Bruce, make a brilliant pair in "Escapade," which will be shown at the King's Theatre to-morrow.

port and accounts was carried unanimously.

Election of Officers
The following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

Commodore: Mr. E. Cock; Vice-Commodore, Mr. N. V. A. Croucher; Rear-Commodore, Mr. D. F. Landale. Sailing Committee: Commodore E. B. C. Dicken, Col. G. C. Gowland, Messrs. H. S. Rouse, G. G. Wood, H. W. Dulle, B. Naess, C. Trenchard Davis, J. Krogh-Moe and R. J. Minniti (Hon. Secretary).

Rowing Committee: Lieut.-Col. C. H. Genke, Messrs. J. E. Potter, A. G. Dalziel, B. S. Carter, H. O. Buse, G. T. Padgett and J. B. Coils (Hon. Secretary).

Bowls Sub-Committee: Messrs. G. S. Archbutt, A. S. Mitchell and P. S. Cassidy. House Committee: Messrs. E. S. Carter, R. J. Vernal and R. J. L. Stanton.

Hon. Secretary, Mr. P. C. M. Sedgwick; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. J. Fleming; Hon. Librarian, Mrs. H. S. Rouse.

Proposing the election of the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock as an honorary life member, Mr. G. G. Wood said Sir Henry had been a very old sailing member of the community, had been a Commodore of the Club and had been sailing boats when probably most of their fathers were still children.

The proposal was seconded by Mr. Croucher, while Mr. W. J. Hansen associated himself with Mr. Wood's remarks by saying that Sir Henry, whom he had known from his young days, had always shown great enthusiasm in the activities of the Club.

At the request of the Commodore, all those present signified their approval by raising both hands.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks by Mr. Hansen to the Commodore, Vice-Commodore, Rear-

Commodore and the various committees for the good work they did during the past season.

Committee's Report
The report of the Committee for the year ended on June 30 states in part:

The accounts prove the continued progress of the Club, entrance fees, members' subscriptions and bar receipts all showing satisfactory increases to which are due the profit of \$1,411.25 as against \$789.04 last year. Membership figures and sailing and rowing activities all reached a record total, which augurs well for the future of the Club when the move to new headquarters on Kellet Island is completed.

The total membership on June 30 last was 366, including absent members, subscribers and lady subscribers, but excluding life members and honorary members. During the year 40 new members, 61 subscribers and 20 lady members were elected as against resignations from 24 members, 54 subscribers and 23 lady subscribers.

The number of races sailed during the season was 269 and 2,088 yachts crossed the starting line.

CRICKET SCORES

London, Aug. 3.
Lunch cricket scores to-day were: Public Schools 106-4 against Army.
Essex 131-3 against Notts.
Gloucester 125-1 against Glamorgan.

Test 128-1 against Lancs.
Leicester 98-3 against York.
Somerset 91-1 against Derby.
Northants 67-4 against Sussex.
Middlesex 145-2 against Warwick.
Hampshire 107-2 against Worcester.—Reuter Bulletin.

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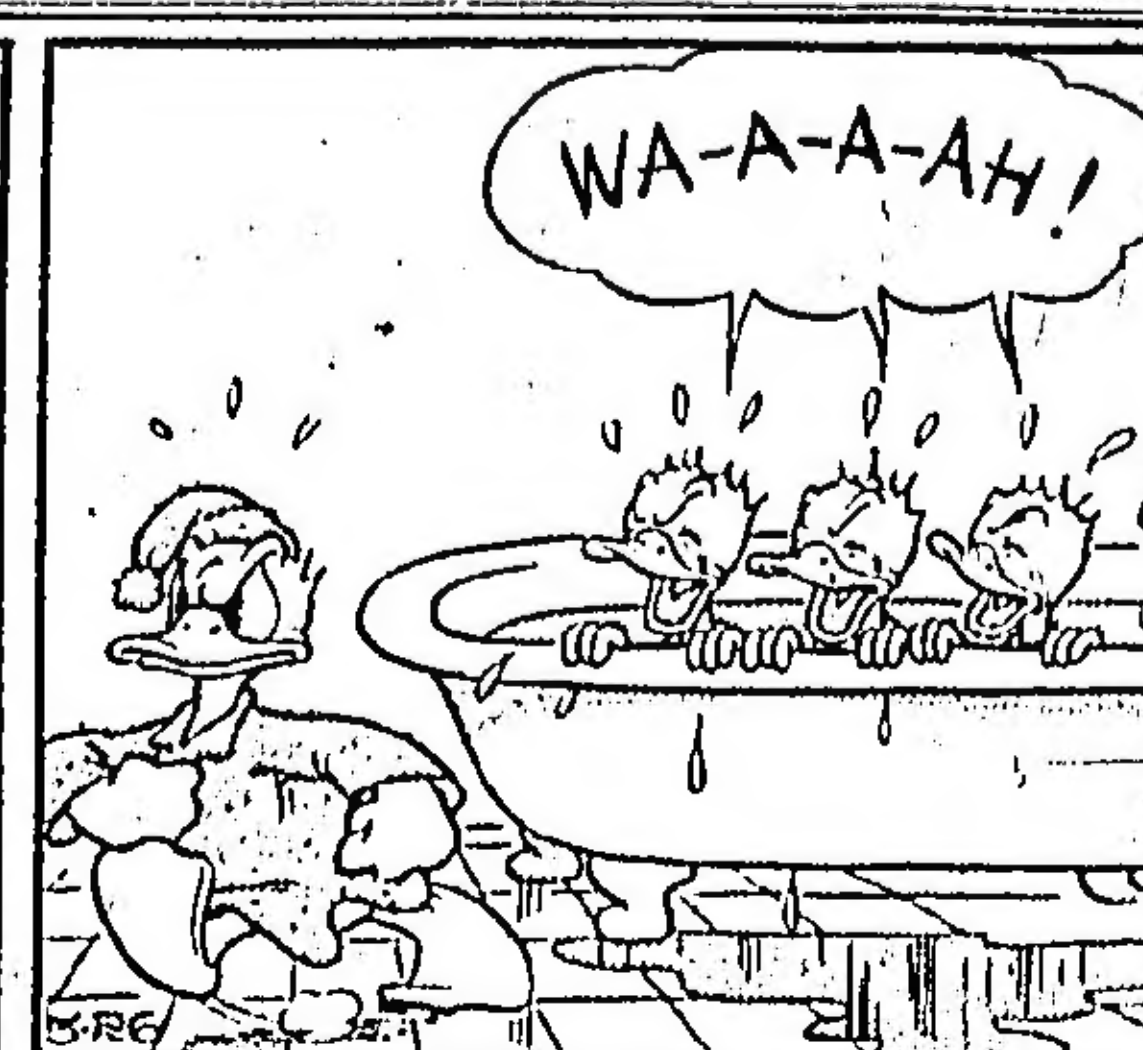
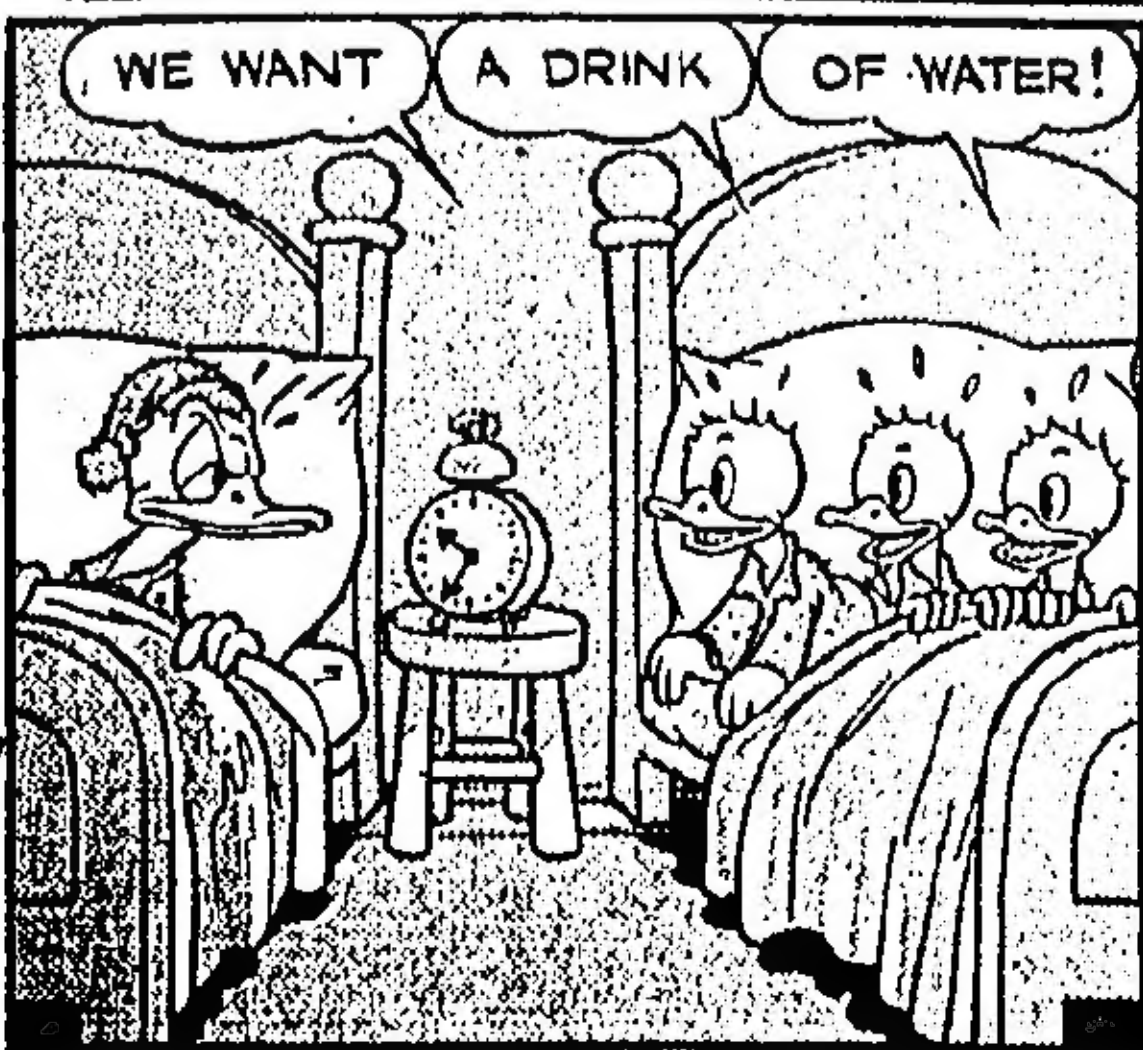
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SOMETHING like a reign of terror prevails in the household; Father has re-discovered his hobby.

"Terror" may be an overstatement, since I overheard Miss Eight-Year-Old say to Master Six-Year-Old:

"Do you think he is really awfully cross about his silly old saw, or is he just showing off?"

Showing off! That is all that the Righteous Wrath of an Offended Parent means to the modern generation.

And then she added, more as a matter of information than of concern:

"Did we ever dig it up after that treasure-hunt?"

How, I ask you, can a man really do justice to carpentry as a hobby, when his family buries his saw, and, most probably, his hammer and chisels as well?

That is why the Jove of our family Olympus has been thundering and lightning around the house for the past 24 hours. Because I decided, having a free week-end, to revive, in face of violent opposition from those who have to do the cleaning-up, my hobby of Making Things.

Collapsible tables, for instance. Most ingenious, but liable to collapse by accident rather than design. And, of course, painting them. A bit shoddy, I admit, but colourful. Indeed, when visitors go into the one room in which I am allowed to please myself, they shade their eyes, and murmur politenesses about "colourful colours".

AS I cannot find the tools or the paint brushes, I suppose I shall have to find a new hobby for the week-end. Or, more likely, I shall spend all my time lying in a deck-chair thinking of Something Really Energetic.

And no one who knows me will dare to suggest gardening. Or golf. Or taking, or canoeing, or any of the other "nothing-like-it-old-man" diversions of my more boisterous friends.

The one distinction which I share with Bernard Shaw is his recreation, quoted in Who's Who "Anything except sport."

When my friend Professor Lancelot Hogben is not indulging his main hobby of writing best-sellers on science, he makes furniture.

And very modern furniture it is. He furnished his cottage in Devon and a bungalow in his private wood with it—desks, cabinets, chairs, tables and so on.

MOST of them he had made, elegantly, in an hour or so, because it was not so much carpentry as structural engineering. He had discovered that sugar-boxes were mass-produced in dead accurate sizes. So it was a case of a few nails, three-plywood and mathematics.

Because in his schooldays he was "made to chase a parcel of air wrapped up in leather" round a football pitch, he, too, incoherently, belongs to the Slavonic category of "anything but sport."

Professor J. B. S. Haldane classifies his hobby as "gardening" but he has another which might be described as "being bitten by bed bugs."

I met him at the Royal Society



"Spend my time in a deck chair thinking of Something Really Energetic."

ANYTHING BUT—

one evening, wandering round with an intense look on his face and a pill-box on his arm. In the pill-box was a bug which he was assiduously trying to coax to bite him.

On my arm, in a misguided experiment, it produced an instantaneous blister; on his, none at all. And he explained that he had spent his holidays endeavouring to get bitten, sleeping in bug-ridden hovels in the Balkans, the Near East, Russia, Spain and elsewhere, but never once finding a breed of bug which would take to him. Now he is going off to Mexico. Maybe his "bug-baiting" will end there.

It is a moot point as to whether that should be classed as "anything but sport."

H. G. WELLS goes off to the Prague for the meeting of the International P.E.N. Club. He is indulging in one of his greatest hobbies, one which has taken him on arduous journeys round the world, the fostering of P.E.N., of which he is the International president.

But it is part of his bigger hobby of meeting people, arguing with them, provoking them and converting them to his all-prevailing purpose of international co-operation. Sometimes he will adjourn the argument, to the room which he has had specially equipped at the bottom of his garden for table-tennis.

At the age of 71, he has a youthful zest for table-tennis. I wonder if we should blackball him on those grounds from our "Anything But Sport Club"?

One person who most certainly qualifies is Osbert Sitwell. Every week-end is a busy one for him, and his hobby—"Prophecy and waiting for the end."

Presumably he makes a prophecy and waits all week-end for the end. And when he wakes up on Monday and refutes his own prophecy, he sits down and makes another one. Anyway, it is better than cheating yourself at patience cards.

Brother Sacheverell Sitwell indulges in "model aeroplanes, plans

regionaux, improvisation and the bull-ring."

One week-end I went down with the late Sir James Barrie to indulge his secret vice—skittles with A. P. Herbert in the alley of a riverside pub at Hammer-smith.

JULIAN HUXLEY has one hobby which is after his own heart—bird-watch-ling. But he is addicted to another, charades. So are Lady Astor and her week-end parties at Cliveden.

But one of the principal week-end hobbies of scientists is crime.

One Sunday I was visiting a distinguished scientist, who shall be nameless. We were out walking, deep in discussion of a new discovery, when he suddenly stopped beside a tangled brake of bushes, looked around cautiously and in a stagey whisper said, "That's where I buried last Sunday's body."

Just as though it were a roast joint which had gone bad.

Every Sunday morning, it turned out, he committed an imaginary

murder in the best "thriller" tradition and spent the rest of the day convicting himself.

"Better'n crosswords," he assured me.

The Athenaeum Club is full of potential murderers, detectives and "Hanging Judges." And the bishops are no exceptions.

One evening, after dinner there, a group which included a famous medical knight, a physiologist, a psychologist, a pathologist, a barrister, a chemist, and myself, appointed ourselves judge, jury and executioners of certain public enemies, beyond the law but morally criminal.

And the expert knowledge of each of the specialists was pooled to dispose of them in such a way that murder would never have been suspected, much less, according to the lawyer, detected.

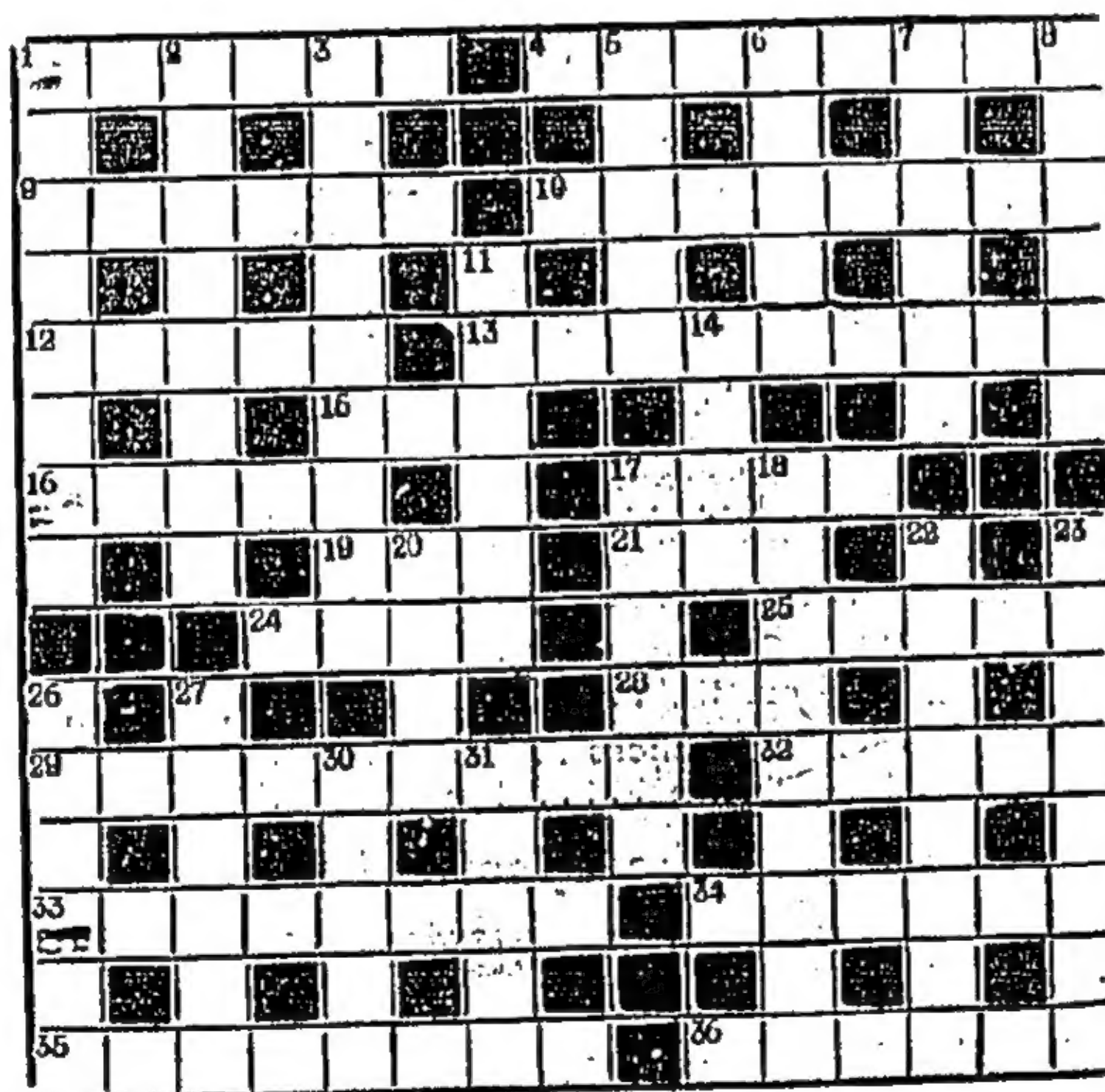
They were all "thriller fans" determined to out-do their favourite authors.

WHICH is an idea—

If that saw is not resurrected within the next few hours, I shall commit an imaginary murder and confound myself with my own clues.—*The Deck-Chair Murder.*

But, in the meantime, I make a resolution for the week-end in which I hope you all can join—My recreation is going to be "Anything but—WORK."

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 1 The end can be made to separate (6).
- 4 Given apparently approving of (6).
- 5 The sound of backward spirits (6).
- 10 This saintly day comes in July (8).
- 12 Hungarian musical composer (5).
- 13 Hard up and with debts too (9).
- 15 A constellation (3).
- 17 Not even chance? (4).
- 18 A light musical note? (3).
- 21 Is this to come out (3).
- 24 European capital (4).
- 25 Useful to a ship even if beheaded (5).
- 28 A little blow (3).
- 29 Plenty suggesting something like a cakewalk (9).
- 32 Praise (5).
- 33 "Did slope" (anag.) (8).
- 34 Occupation for a royal graduate in the kitchen (6).
- 35 Unconscious instruction to the orchestra to hurry up and start (8).
- 36 An egg is enough clue by the look of it (6).

DOWN

- 1 Pudding that suggests selling a lot of fish cheap (8).
- 2 "She hurts" (anag.) (8).
- 3 An enormous number do not do so much reckoning (9).
- 5 Found in long-bottled wine (6).
- 6 A "Vasily" don perhaps (5).
- 7 Former in former days (6).
- 8 Leave off (6).
- 11 This old deity was a head and nothing more (6).
- 14 This is Hindustani (4).
- 17 The tail of this bird is apparently an attraction to others (6).
- 18 He makes dear dopes or road speed (9).
- 20 A northern girl (4).
- 22 Irritation at inactivity perhaps (8).
- 23 A difficult time for driving a car (8).
- 26 Wager about everything for the dance (6).
- 27 Highwayman of old (6).
- 30 Material for the military doubtless (5).
- 31 Just what is wanted (5).

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THE BEST THRILLER YET

HERE is the best news for many months for detective story lovers. Michael Innes, going on from good to better, has put himself, with his third book, *Lament for a Maker* (Gollancz, 7s. 6d.), right among the masters.

It is the sort of novel you can read with joy, even if you do not give a hoot for who killed whom. Which means that the clues are not just loose ends sticking out, but a cunningly integrated part of a story that, above all, has character and substance.

Six narrators give you the strange

history of a Scottish laird, living fear-obsessed—come any mad—in a riddle-story of a castle. Death comes. There are horror and shrewd common sense, lively humour, legend of the grimmer kind and love foredoomed, all culminating in a grand triple-cross.

Pardon the unwelcome enthusiasm.

But if 1938 gives us another detective novel like this, it will be a remarkable year.

Commendable too in a more single-minded way is Neal Shepherd's *Death Walks Safely* (Constable, 7s. 6d.). Chief point about this is its satisfyingly complete technical details, extending to a conscientious plan which comes near to giving the whole thing away.

I like this new author's almost exaggerated fair-mindedness and hope to read more about his engaging Chief Inspector Napper Tandy.

Two reports on simple thrillers. Max Saltmarsh continues capably in the early John Buchan tradition with a tale of phreatic Nazi Germany, *Indigo Death* (Michael Joseph, 7s. 6d.).

And *Baltic Drums* on Dartmoor, described as originated by Sapper and told by Gerard Fairlie (Hodder and Stoughton, 7s. 6d.), is pretty well indistinguishable from the real thing which we had thought ended by Sapper's death.

P. E. H.

Music Hall

QUALIFIED doubly by experience and resourceful research, M. Wilson Disher has given us by far the best book on the British music-hall yet written—*Winkles and Champagne* (Batsford, 12s. 6d.).

Harmonic rallies in taverns were the origins of this peculiarly national and strongly democratic form of entertainment. The great Grimaldi in his last days would be carried pick-a-back into a bar-parlour to regale the customers with his old clown songs. Super rooms, such as Evans's in Covent Garden (afterwards the National Sporting Club), were another step towards the specially built theatre, firm of which in London was the Canterbury.

The "chairman," waiters with trays of drinks and a pot-house favourer, sat in the old "Mogul" (the Middlesex, now the Winter Garden Theatre), the Pavilion and the Oxford, until respectability and "tone" raised the status of variety, thanks to Charles Morton, Sir Oswald Stoll and the "family" atmosphere they created.

Mr. Disher covers the vast field thoroughly, especially the personality side, from Sam Cowell to Billy Bennett, and records many odd facts. For example, I knew that Little Tich had six fingers on each hand, but not that George Black used to turn the handle of a roundabout, or that Harry Champion wrote "Me Old Brown Son" at his father's funeral!

An astonishing profusion of illustrations—performances, old songs, old scenes—is perhaps the volume's greatest virtue; and that is not to deny the lively writing of a book which neither over-idealises nor moralises. In fact, the reader is at the music-hall with the author all the time.

SPAIN plain

AN exhaustive and well-documented survey of the Spanish situation is provided by the Duchess of Atholl in *Searchlight on Spain* (Penguin Books, 6d.).

It is much more than an account of the war, for the author goes back to the causes of the present bloodshed and attempts also to foresee its ultimate effects.

In an admirable summing-up, "What It Means to Us," the Duchess pleads for full support for the Spanish Government and the ending of the so-called non-intervention which she, along with other realists, agrees has been a concealed form of intervention in favour of Franco.

Obviously the work of a motorist with a wide knowledge and a passionate love of his country is *This England of Ours*, by Harold W. Eley (Newnes, 3s. 6d.). A friendly book—not a guide in the usually accepted sense, but rather reminiscences of journeys made to the most interesting corners of the shires.

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His new long novel, *Hollow Sea* (John Lane, 10s. 6d.), is the terrifying log of a troopship during the War. And he would have been delighted to hear the sigh of relief that I gave when the men felt those quare-side cobbles under their feet at last.

The A-10 had sailed in darkness under sealed orders. She had embarked soldiers for an Unknown Destination. She was just disembarking them off Gallipoli when the moon came up and guns spat from unscalable cliffs. (It was the wrong bay, anyhow.)

So she picked up as many as possible of the wounded and became a hospital ship, a death-ship, a pitching and tossing asylum. Until, weeks later, lightened of many of her burdens, she reached port.

It is a heart-breaking story, told with remarkable realism, vigour and skill. Too often Mr. Hanley's old fault of affection puts you up sharply. In the middle of hammering a brass tack home he stops for a "literary" recitation. But, for all that, *Hollow Sea* is a terrific tale.

An ex-sailor himself, the author is at home with the crew all the while—from the brusque captain, who knows war is madness anyway, to the stolid look-out man, dreaming always of his wife and child back in Rochdale. And the suffering, sweating soldiers packed below? They remain invisible and dumb. Out of sight but never for a moment out of mind.

The sense of detachment, the concentration of the crew on their work, adds the final touch of conviction to the story. That is why I signed with relief when the men landed.

As they tumbled ashore, I could feel them thinking, "Why we had to take those poor devils out round and bring them back shattered, why we had to nose through those minefields and dodge those submarines, heaven-or, rather, Authority—only knows. But, anyhow, the job is done..."

★ ★

YEARS ago Francis Stuart wrote a story called *The Coloured Dome*. A clear, shining, miraculous tale of Ireland. If you happen to have read it, the memory of it will delight you still.

When I saw Mr. Stuart's name on the cover of *Falls* (Gollancz, 7s. 6d.), the old excitement rose in me again. And, though there is nothing miraculous about this novel, I commend it to you as a strangely compelling tale of endurance and love.

On her way to England from Africa, Julie is attracted to Ben Goldberg, a penniless young Jew. Later in London she goes to work in his office: he has become a fire insurance—and a criminal. But her love for him holds, even when he is sentenced to jail for seven years. She will wait for Ben. She may feel a passing sentimental attachment for that Irish poet, Mick. But she and Ben are one another's destiny. So she will wait for him. What else could she do?

It may sound like a fairy tale. Believe it or not, Mr. Stuart makes it come true.

R.P.

FICTION

National Provincial, by Leticia Cooper (Gollancz, 8s. 6d.). In which you may live for a while the life of a Northern city.

Everslade, by W. B. Maxwell (Falconer, 6s. 6d.). The third volume in the author's large-scale national survey, "Men and Women."

Death Burns the Candle, by Ralph Trevor (Wright and Brown, 7s. 6d.). Sacred South Sea pearls. Robbery. Revenge. And Thrills.

FACT

Low Again: A Pageant of Politics, by David Low (The Greaves Press, 6s.). A superb collection of cartoons by Colonel Blimp's creator.

Memories and Reflections, by Ben Tillett (John Long, 8s.). Popular edition of the fighting autobiography of a Labour veteran.

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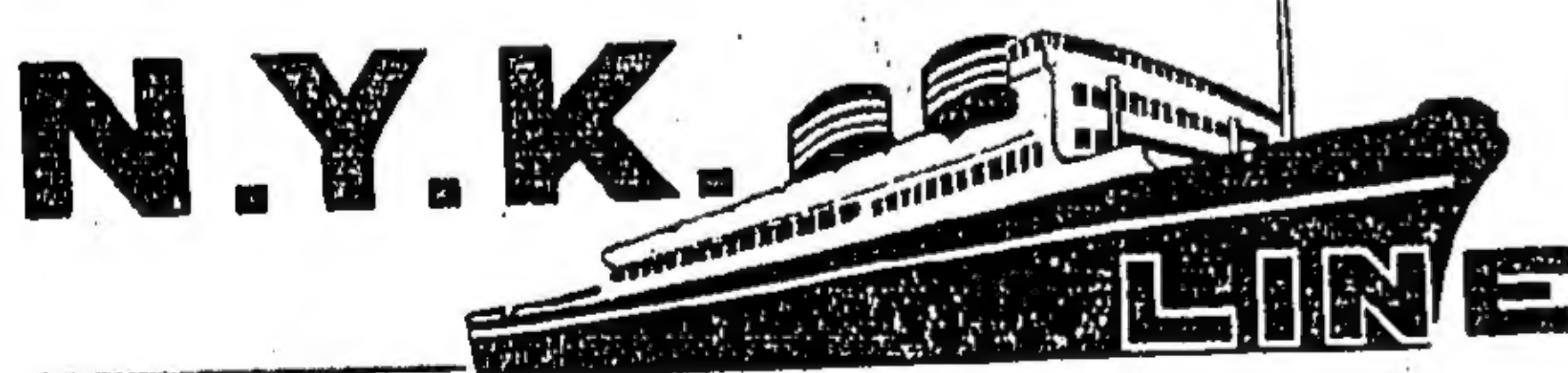
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fighting on various fronts in the past
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120,000 had received treatments in
the 417 hospitals established by the
Government and civil organs
throughout the country, according to
Dr. Fan Ting-chiu, director of the
National Wounded Soldiers' Medical
Service Association, who recently
arrived in the Colony from Hankow
on his way to Canton to establish a
military hospital.

Since the beginning of the war,
continued Dr. Fan in an interview
with local pressmen, the percentage
of the wounded and the dead in the
battlefields on the Chinese side is
approximately 2 to 1. The well-known
medical worker gave the total Chinese
casualty list as about 750,000, with
250,000 directly killed on all fronts,
but he pointed out that many of the
critically wounded Chinese soldiers
often died before they could be moved
to field hospitals.

A great proportion of the total
Chinese wounded were soldiers from
Kwangtung and Hunan
provinces, he added.

Hunan to-day, according to Dr.
Fan, is the main base of medical
treatment for the wounded. Every
soldier in hospital received twenty
cents a day.

CONTROL ORGANISED

Government medical service is
now under the sole control of the
Bureau of Medical Service of the
Ministry of War, with the assistance
as the Bureau of Medical Service of
the Ministry of Interior, while the
leading civil organisation in the service
is the Christian Association for
Wounded Soldiers' Medical Service,
which works in collaboration with 97
missionary hospitals in various pro-
vinces, Dr. Fan informed the press-
men. The Association with its head-
quarters in Sian has more than ten
stations in Honan, Hupeh, Anhwei,
Kiangsi and Szechuan provinces.

The medical corps of the Interna-
tional Red Cross Association and the
Red Cross Association of China have
also done valuable service for the
wounded soldiers, he said.

Though much had been done, there
were important steps to be taken to
improve the service to the wounded:
(1) separate treatment for critically
and slightly wounded soldiers; (2)
transportation of wounded soldiers
from the front to the rear; and (3)
supervision of the wounded while in
hospitals.

REICH NEEDS MORE TAXES

Berlin, Aug. 3.

As a further step to increase the
Companies' Tax, the Government
has decided to appropriate some of
the municipal tax revenues. The
profitable local beer tax will be taken
from the municipalities and added to
the existing Reich beer tax.

The Reich will also claim a por-
tion of the local tax on sales of real
estate and municipal business enter-
prises like electricity and water-
works, which will be taxed like
ordinary companies.—Reuter Special.

Hunting New Trade Roads

A further impetus to Hongkong-
Philippine trade relations has re-
cently been effected by the nego-
tiations of Mr. Joseph Albert
Laboury Gutierrez, secretary of the
Far East Merchants Commercial
Association, who arrived here yester-
day morning on the Empress of
Asia, from a business trip to Manila.
Formerly secretary to the general
managers of the Hongkong Shipyard,
Mr. Gutierrez undertook the present
trip to Manila to renew various con-
tacts with leading business concerns.
Throughout his visit, Mr.
Gutierrez kept in constant touch with
Mr. Balmeida, Director of Com-
merce, and Mr. Mendinueto, the in-
telligence officer of the Department
of Trade, Bureau of Commerce and
Agriculture, since they first met in
Hongkong six years ago. He also
took with him many letters of intro-
duction to important firms which
might be induced to enter into trade
relations with Hongkong.

STOP PRESS

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General Franco's "Finances of
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battle, swarmed down the Caballeros
slopes on the Catalan front to-day,
and in an engagement lasting all day,
fought the International Brigade
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blistering heat.—United Press.

PLANES FROM BALEARICS SHATTER TARRAGONA

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Tri-motored Junkers from the
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the damage was heavy, though the
number of casualties is not mention-
ed.

A Gibraltar message says that it is
reported that the Insurgent Cruisers,
Canarias and Cervera, arrived at
Cadiz badly damaged by Loyalist
shore batteries late on Sunday after
an engagement at Cartagena.—
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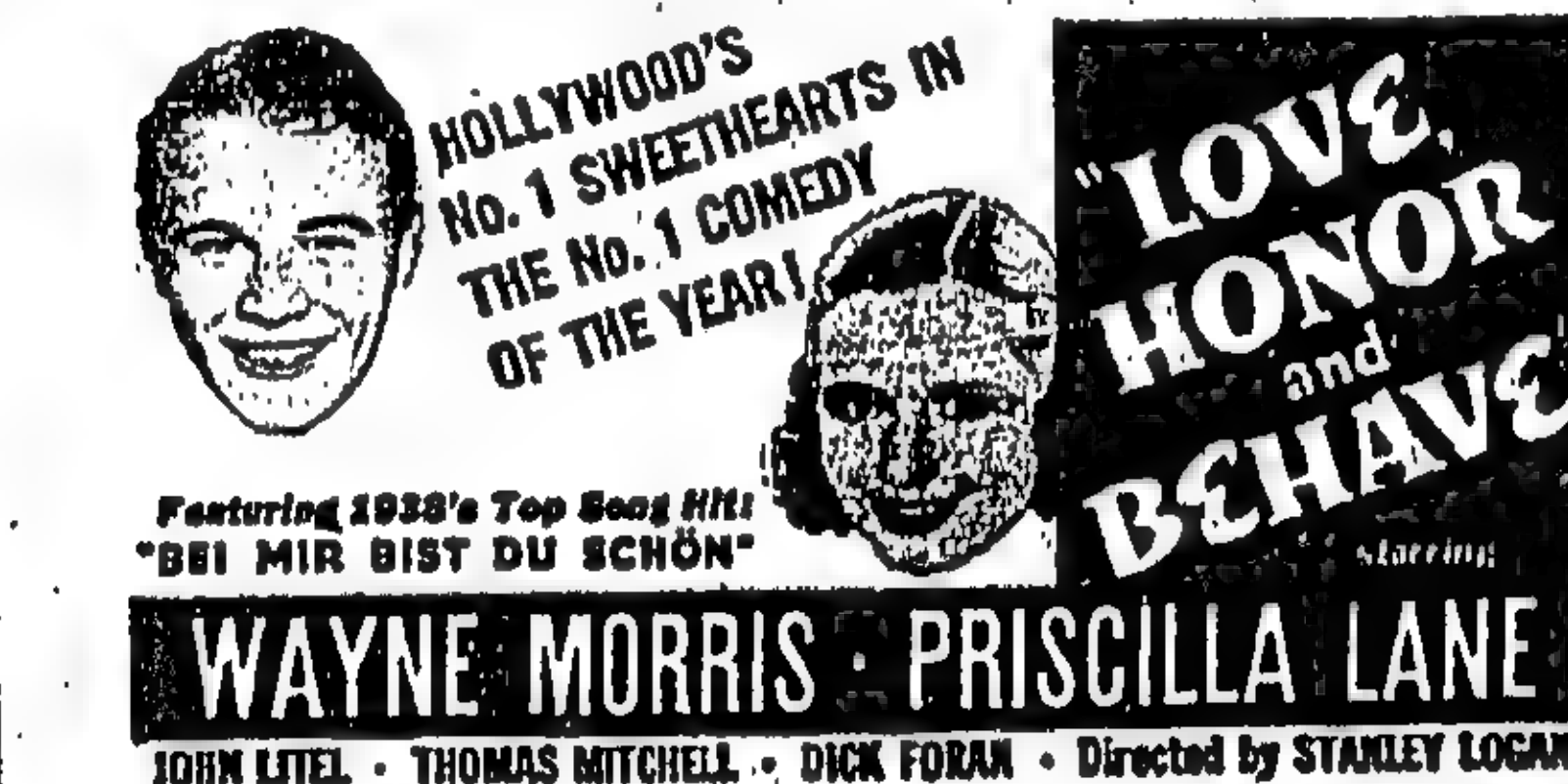


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WHITEAWAY'S

(Further Stop Press News on
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Softly gauged bodice gives importance to a frock of delectable blue crepe. This pattern includes both long and short puff sleeves, as illustrated.



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The long lines of this beautiful printed frock are height making. If you are on the plump side you will look slimmer in it, too.

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TO LOOK TALLER—

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It Is Easy To Make Ice Cream At Home These Modern Days

VARIOUS ice cream makers have their individual merits, but one which is easy to manage and especially handy is that designed for use without ice.

This maker is in the shape of a round tin, into which is packed the cream mixture, as well as the freezing preparation which takes the place of ice.

No power is needed. This contraption could be used to make ice instead of cream, a solid block being produced in a very few minutes. Or add an extra device inside the drum, and the ice will be formed in cubes, nearly a pound being made at a time.

Eggs For Breakfast?

THE production of new designs for egg cups is a recognition of the permanent place of the boiled egg in breakfast menus.

Some are made to appeal especially to nursery folk. But for grown-ups there are felt-lined egg cups, complete with screw-on tops which are intended to pander to those who are habitually late for breakfast.

The busy housewife also finds an egg-timer useful. A new design is

made with the sand-glass attached to a strip of metal, so that as the sand filters through, a bell rings underneath. This bell-ringing can be adjusted to the time required.

Much Fine Handwork

ONE form of hand-work, which is much used for trimming at the moment, are often seen decorating the latest blouses.

Much fine tucking is seen, and there are rows of little scalloped frills adorning the fronts of muslin blouses.

Sometimes pastel coloured organdie blouses have a fine design embroidered all over it, in the shape of lattice-work trails of tiny flowers.

Or the embroidery runs in lines between rows of lace, inset down the front of the blouse. Rows of hand ruching, too, may be used to gather up the fullness in the front of the blouse.

Her Own Bureau

ONE of the new bureaux which is far more capacious than ordinarily is a treasure in a room furnished as a bed-sitting room for the use of a schoolgirl.

Simplicity is the order of the day, and a desk made from light wood and fitted with a business-like lines is quite perfect for the purpose.

It has knee space, and little drawers running across the top as well as down the left side, with bar handles making a long, continuous ridge.

Onions

AMONG the many ingredients in which will be eaten in salads this season, onions are likely to be frequently included.

Dieticians advise onions. Also, the flavour is considered piquant with many concoctions. They are even being used with fruit-and-savoury mixtures.

However, all this means that even though you may acquire the taste you may yet resent the odour clinging to your fingers after peeling the onions.

A lemon provides the solution. Rub your fingers with a lemon, and then put them under running cold water. You may then feel quite confident that no odour of onions haunts your presence.

"It's just a little thing," is a phrase that has occurred in many letters which I have recently received from readers, "what should I wear?" Choosing dresses certainly presents difficulties when you not only lack inches, but are small limbed.

Style is the first thing to consider. Select simple designs, and please don't clutter yourself up with a lot of accessories. They just overpower you and then you wonder what is wrong. If you want to introduce an original note have a saucy line.

Materials are the next question. Pick out the tiny checks, spots or floral prints, and where possible wear self-coloured fabrics. Baleros you can wear with great success. Straight or slightly flared skirts are much better for you than full ones, and give an illusion of height. Avoid wide waiches; a narrow petersham ribbon is quite sufficient.

The clear brilliance of the season's colours will compensate you for any lack of contrast pattern on your dress. The left-hand sketch, clearly illustrates the type of frock that will give you height.

You have always admired those gauged bodices? Well, here is one specially designed and modified so that a heavy effect is avoided.

Included in this pattern are two sleeves, both of which are fashionable this season. One is a close-fitting style to the elbow. The other ends just four inches above the wrist.

If your measurements are less than the smallest size, cut out your frock exact to the pattern, and do not allow for turnings. Size 36in. bust with long sleeves takes 34yd. 36in. crepe, 34yd. ribbon; with elbow-length sleeves, 34yd. 36in. fabric.

Now let us turn to the troubles of the woman of fifty who is not over-slim for the second style. No. 1165 will exactly suit her needs.

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A too full hip or bust line, as well as an upper arm that is rather large, have to be disguised, so you must rely on vertical lines to ensure a slenderizing silhouette. The V lines of the neckline meet the upward V of the bodice. The only trimming in this easily made design is the soft chiffon frilling at the neck and on the sleeves.

Quantity of material required for 40in. bust is 44yd. 36in., 4yd 36in. contrast.

WOMEN SEEK, GIVEN BEAUTY HINTS BY MAX FACTOR

Dear Mr Factor:

My rouge never seems to look very well. What can I do to put an end to this beauty destroyer? I am very pale, yet no matter what shade of rouge I buy, it seems to appear very obvious. Is there something I can do about it?

Sincerely yours,

Mary Anne Evans.
Albuquerque, New Mexico.
Colour is, of course, the primary playing tennis, merely wash your face with cool water at the end of the game, then use your compact and lipstick to their best advantage. If you are a blonde with an olive skin and blue eyes, then use blonde rouge. If your skin is exceptionally fair you may use flame rouge as Virginia Bruce does. Black hair and blue eyes, however, would suit for carmine rouge, and black hair and brown eyes would require raspberry rouge.

If your rouge is the proper shade, then follow this technique: Be sure to apply it to the highest point of the cheek bone, before you powder, then with the finger tips blend it in back to the hairline, and lightly up to the eyes. Pat your powder into the skin and then brush off the excess.

Dear Mr Factor:

I have brown hair and eyes and have always used brown eyeliner. But a friend suggested the other day that summer make-up calls for colours with more red in them and for violet eyeshadow. Would you suggest that I make a change?

Yours truly,

Colores Gallegos.
Barraquillo, Colombia.
Changing make-up according to the advice of your friends is often a very hazardous procedure. It is that as you acquire a heavy summer shade of make-up, which has more orange in the colour, will more nearly match your skin. However, be sure that you are tanned sufficiently to justify such a change, and if possible ask the advice of an available expert. But never under any circumstances, use violet eye-shadow in the daytime—or at any time—since you have brown eyes and brown hair. You might use green eye-shadow for an exotic evening effect, but stick to brown for daytime.

Dear Mr Factor:

My face perspires when I indulge in summer sports, and needless to one.

say my make-up doesn't stay on very well. What can I do to put an end to this beauty destroyer? I am very pale, yet no matter what shade of rouge I buy, it seems to appear very obvious. Is there something I can do about it?

Gratefully yours,

Mrs. L. J. Allen.
Camaguey, Cuba.

You have a blessing in disguise. If your face perspires freely, you probably have a good complexion. It would not be safe nor sensible to stop this natural process. If you are playing tennis, merely wash your face with cool water at the end of the game, then use your compact and lipstick to their best advantage. You can put on a new make-up when you get home.

Dear Mr Factor:

My hair has become a problem to me. It seems to be losing its lustre, and getting streaked. Also I believe I have more dandruff than usual. What should I do to bring it back to life?

Thanking you, I am,
Louise Westbrook,
Jamaica, British West Indies.

Your particular hair difficulty is not an unusual one just now. Women are becoming more and more inclined to be out of doors without hats, or wearing crownless hats. It is the sun which streaks and dries the hair. Be more careful about your sunshade and over-exposure to the sun's rays. Also don't neglect the old-fashioned hairbrush. A good brushing every night will do a great deal to bring the life back to your hair. It is the most effective means of combatting dandruff, and also serves to distribute the oils through the scalp and prevent dryness. Spray your finished coiffure with liquid brillon.

Dear Mr Factor:

I am a great admirer of Myrna Loy and many of my friends think that I resemble her. To be frank, I try to put my make-up on in such a way that I will look like her. My biggest problem, however, is my lipstick. I can't make my mouth look like Miss Loy's. Can you tell me how she uses her lipstick?

Sincerely,

Betty Nelson,
Fochow, China.

If I were you I would not try to make my mouth a duplicate of Myrna Loy's nor anyone else's. "Eyes are the mirror of the soul, the mouth is the expression of the personality." Don't give up your personality. Don't give up your personality. Don't give up your personality.

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Yesterday's Rainfall Little Help

Yesterday's rainfall was disappointing in quantity, only .11 of an inch being recorded, making the year's total 36.85 inches as compared with an average of 55.12 inches.

Hongkong was again cooler yesterday, the maximum temperature being 84 and the minimum last night 81. This morning the temperature was 84, with humidity at 85 per cent.

The Royal Observatory weather report, issued this morning, stated that pressure remains low over China generally, the Yellow Sea and south Japan, and monsoon conditions will continue.

Local forecast is:—South-west winds, moderate; fair to showery.

FRUIT BASKETS HID OPIUM, BUT NOT FOR LONG

Baskets of lung-nan, a Chinese fruit, were used by two Chinese women in their attempts to smuggle raw opium into the Colony on the night of August 2. This method of deception did not escape the woman searcher attached to the Revenue Department who arrested both prisoners after stopping and searching them and their belongings.

The women, Yu Shun and Chung Ip, were separately charged before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistrate's court.

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Rare Paralysis Epidemic Now Sweeps Japan

Tokyo, Aug. 4. Upwards of 700 cases of infantile paralysis, regarded as the rarest type yet discovered, are reported from the Kansai district. There have also been 200 cases at Osaka and many in the Kobe vicinity.

The number of deaths from the epidemic is so far unrecorded.—United Press.

Deck Space "Racket" Uncovered

When the ship Kwong Tung left Hongkong several days ago, there were among the passengers five "scallywags" and five detectives; but unfortunately for the former gentry they did not know of the existence of the opposition.

In all innocence, they continued their game of collecting money for fictitious deck space from the other passengers on the ship, so much so that they bagged more than \$1,000.

But like all criminals they made one mistake, and that was that each one of the "scallywags" asked each one of the detectives for money.

They heard the rest of it at the Marine Court to-day from the Marine Magistrate, the Hon. Commander G. F. Hole.

"Quite a racket. They asked for it and they'll get it," he commented after listening to the story from Acting-Inspector Whant.

The "scallywags" were each fined \$50. Fifteen others, described as unlicensed hawkers, though as Inspector Whant pointed out, only seven of them had anything to hawk, were fined \$10 for having unlawfully boarded the King Yuan on August 3.

REMOVING SIGN OF JEWISH CULTURE

Munich, Aug. 3. The Jewish synagogue at Nuremberg, and the building of the Jewish Cultural Community, will be pulled down next week, according to an announcement by the Mayor of Nuremberg, who, amid applause, informed the Town Council: "A crying shame to Nuremberg would at last be removed."

The two buildings will have been destroyed by the time the annual Nazi party rally opens on September 4.—Reuter Special.

GENERAL FLIES TO NEW POST

Hankow, Aug. 4. General Chang Chun had gone to Chungking by air to assume his new post as Director-General of the Chinese Headquarters for Szechuen, Sinkiang and Kweichow provinces.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei left Hankow on August 1 for Ichang, on route to Chungking.—Reuter Special.

STRANGER ANSWERS FOR CRIME

Man He Acted For Loses His Bail

When the name of Cheung Po, 50, a Chinese, who was charged with importing unmanifested cargo, namely, silver dollars and ingots, into the Colony by the s.s. Chung King, was called at the Central Magistracy this morning, a Chinese, who later turned out to be Lam Ah-king, stepped forward and answered to the name, Mr. W. Lo appeared for the defence, and the Magistrate, Mr. R. Edwards remanded the case to August 22, at 2.30 p.m.

However, about five minutes after the parties had left the Court, Revenue Officer L. J. Stephens, who was present, returned, and told his Worship that the man who had answered the name was actually not the defendant.

Lam Ah-king was accordingly brought before his Worship, who asked him whether he was the defendant. He pleaded ignorance and was told by his Worship that impersonating a person on bail was a serious offence.

Mr. Lo had already gone, and his Worship ordered that the bail of \$100 granted to Cheung Po, be forfeited at the same time directing that the case be brought forward again on the date originally fixed.

Hunting New Trade Roads

A further impetus to Hongkong-Philippine trade relations has recently been effected by the negotiations of Mr. Joseph Albert Laboury Gutierrez, secretary of the Far East Merchants Commercial Association, who arrived here yesterday morning on the Empress of Asia, from a business trip to Manila.

Mr. Gutierrez, who is the general manager of the Hongkong Shipyard, Mr. Gutierrez undertook the present trip to Manila to renew various contacts with leading business concerns.

Throughout his visit, Mr. Gutierrez kept in constant touch with Mr. Balmaceda, Director of Commerce, and Mr. Mendinueta, the intelligent officer of the Department of Trade, Bureau of Commerce and Agriculture, since they first met in Hongkong six years ago. He also took with him many letters of introduction to important firms which might be induced to enter into trade relations with Hongkong.

GAMBLERS INADVERTENTLY AID POOR

The Poor Box at the Kowloon Magistracy benefited by \$40 this morning when the operators of a large gambling school in Temple Street were charged before Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen. The money had been seized during a raid carried out by Detective Sergeant H. J. Baldwin on Wednesday night.

The keepers, Tung Yiu, 55, and Wong Cheong, 40, were fined \$75 each while 10 gamblers were fined \$2 each. Eight other gamblers who did not appear in court had their bail of \$3 forfeited.

WOMAN, CHILD FALL FROM LORRY

Injuries to the face were received by Chan Chung-ming, 22, when he was sent to the Queen Mary hospital for treatment.

A married woman, Fung Ngai, 31, and her three-year-old daughter, Loui, were sent to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday after they had fallen from a lorry while travelling along Tai Po Road near Yuehchow Street.

Falling when attempting to alight from a Kowloon motor bus while it was still in motion in Matawei Road yesterday, Kwong Sing, 43, was later sent to the Kowloon hospital suffering from slight abrasions.

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations were received after the close of the morning session through Reuters:

Business Done	Prices in Pesos	Aug. 3, Aug. 4.
Antanok	2 1/2	2 1/2
Atok	2 1/2	2 1/2
Bagulo Gold	11 1/2	11 1/2
Benguet Consolidated	42	42
Coco Grove	40 1/2	40 1/2
Consolidated Mines	40 1/2	40 1/2
Demonstration	40 1/2	40 1/2
L.I.L.	40 1/2	40 1/2
Paracale Gumaua	40 1/2	40 1/2
San Marcelino	40 1/2	40 1/2
Suyoc	40 1/2	40 1/2
United Paracale	40 1/2	40 1/2

The following is Swan, Culbertson & Fritz' report on this morning's market:

Stocks were unchanged in a dull session.

HEARING DATE SET

Hearing of the committal charge against Li Hon, 23, unemployed, accused of being in possession of a revolver and 10 rounds of ammunition in Nam Cheong Street on July 31 was fixed for August 9 by Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. The hearing will begin at 12 noon or at 2.30 p.m.

\$10,000 Bail In Heroin Pill Case

Bail of \$10,000 was granted to Ma Yuen, 24, unemployed, when he was charged with possession of about 20,000 heroin pills at Lockhart Road by Mr. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning. Defendant was remanded for a week.

AGED MAN HAS DIVAN

A 72-year-old unemployed Chinese, named Lal Wal, was charged before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning with possession of opium and keeping an opium divan at Bonham Strand East.

Taking into the consideration of defendant's age, his worship imposed a fine of \$200 or a month's imprisonment on the first charge, and \$75 or a month's imprisonment on the second. The sentences were to run concurrently.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks	
H.K. Bank, \$1,510 n. cum div.	
H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), £90 b. ex. div.	
Chartered Bank, £12 1/2 n.	
Mercantile Bank, £12 1/2 n.	
East Asia Bank, \$88 n.	
Insurance	
Canton Ins., \$230 n.	
Union Ins., \$500 n.	
China Underwriters, \$2 n.	
H.K. Fire Ins., \$210 n.	
Shipping	
Douglas, \$80 n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$21 1/2 n.	
Indo-China (Pref.), \$60 n.	
Indo-China (Def.), \$24 n.	
Shell Bearer, \$2 1/2 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$9 b.	
Docks Etc.	
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$130 n.	
H.K. Docks (old), \$21 n.	
H.K. Docks (new), \$20 n.	
Providents (old), \$3.65 n.	
Providents (new), \$3.45 n.	
New Engineering Sh., \$115 n.	
Shanghai Docks, \$115 n.	
Kallan Mining Adm., 16/3 n.	
Rauhs, \$9.70 b.	
Venz, Goldfield, \$3 b.	
Hongkong Mining, 7 1/2 cts. n.	
Philippine Mining	
Atamoks, P. 38 sa.	
Atoks, P. 28 1/2 sa.	
Bagulo Gold, P. 21 sa.	
Benguet Consol, P. 11.20 sa.	
Benguet Explor., —	
Coco Grove, 42 sa.	
Big Wedge, —	
Consolidated Mines, P. 0045 sa.	
Demonstrations, P. —	
E. Mindanao, P. —	
Gumaus G'fields, P. —	
Ipo Gold, P. —	
L.I.L., P. —	
Itogons, P. —	
Mn. Resources, P. —	
Northern Mtn., P. —	
Paracale Gumaua, P. —	
Salacot Mining, P. —	
San Marcelino, P. 48 sa.	
Suyoc Consol, P. 17 sa.	
United Paracale, P. 32 sa.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels, \$8.65 b.	
H.K. Lands, \$37 1/2/38 sa.	
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben \$107 b.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —	
Shai Lands, Sh. \$8.40 n.	
Humphries, \$9.35 n.	
H.K. Realities, \$5.85 b.	
Chinese Estates, \$100 n.	
Public Utilities	
H.K. Tramways, \$17.60 n.	
Peak Trams (old), \$64 b.	
Peak Trams (new), \$3 1/2 n.	
Star Ferries, \$80 n.	
Yauwatt Ferries (old), \$24 1/2 b.	
Yauwatt Ferries rights, \$24 b.	
China Light (old), \$10.80 b.	
China Light (new), \$8 n.	
H.K. Electric, \$60 1/2 n.	
Macao Electric, \$18 n.	
Sandakan Lights, \$9 1/2 n.	
Telephone (old), \$26 1/2 b.	
Telephone (new), \$9.80 n.	
China Buses, Sh. —	
Singapore Traction, 26/3 n.	
Singapore Trac., 26/3 n.	
Industrials	
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$14 n.	
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$14 n.	
Canton Ices, \$1.70 n.	
Cements, \$16 1/2 n.	
H.K. Ropes, \$4 n.	
Stores, &c.	
Dairy Farm, \$28 n.	
Watsons, \$7.50 b.	
Lane Crawford's, \$8.70 n.	
Sincere, \$2.20 n.	
Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.	
William Powell, Ltd., 70 cts. n.	
Cotton Mills	
Ewo Cotton, Sh. \$18 n.	
Shai Cotton (old), Sh. \$95 n.	
Zhong Singa, Sh. \$27 n.	
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$42 n.	
Miscellaneous	
H.K. Entertainment, \$0 1/2 n.	
Constructions, \$1.75 b.	
Vibro Piling, \$5.10 n.	
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G\$Bonds, 6 1/2 % pm. n.	
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 5 1/2 % pm. b.	
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 % Loan 1 1/2 % pm. b.	
Wallace Harpers, —	
Marsmans (Lon.), s/- 12/3 n.	
Marsmans Ins. (H.K.), s/- 3/3 n.	
Consolidated China Providents (old), \$7.30 n.	
Consolidated China Providents (new), \$6.90 n.	
Shanghai Trams —	
Anglo Javans, —	

REMAND GRANTED

A remand of one week was granted to Chief Detective Inspector M. Murphy by Mr. H. R. Butlers at the Central Magistracy this morning, when a man named Tsang Joo-ah, alias Tsang Ah-hee, 40, unemployed, appeared in Court charged with housebreaking and the theft of diamonds in Singapore on or before July 29, 1938.

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- Mounts to be only white or cream, and, except in the Children's Section, must be of one of the following sizes:—16" by 14", 10" by 12", 10" by 8".
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter signed by a parent.
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PLANES CROSS BORDER

German Charge Against Czechs

Berlin, Aug. 3.
An alleged further violation of the frontier by three Czech planes has evoked bitter comment in Berlin, especially as it occurred on the day of Lord Runciman's arrival in Prague, and is regarded as particularly serious because two planes were reported to have flown over the fortress at Glatz, 12 miles over the frontier.—Reuter.

RUNCIMAN GIVES ADVICE

Prague, Aug. 3.
Lord Runciman, British mediator in the dispute between the Czech Government and the Sudeten minority party, arrived here to-day and was greeted by Government and Mayoral representatives and leaders of the Sudetens.

Lord Runciman's first public act was to receive representatives of the press. He appealed to them to foster a spirit of goodwill. Forty years' experience, he said, had taught him that permanent peace was only secured on a basis of mutual consent. He hoped to be the friend of all, and the enemy of none.

There were hopes of settling the trouble if they started the work in a spirit of goodwill and exercised patience.

Negotiations between the Government and the Sudetens formally opened when Dr. Milan Hodza, the Premier, received the Sudeten leaders, Herr Kundt and Herr Roshe.

A communique issued afterwards announced that conversations would be continued and the method of discussion only altered. If there were any new developments outside the present conditions. This is interpreted to mean that Lord Runciman's presence may entail modification of procedure.—Reuter.

Preferred Death To Blindness

Three attempted suicides were reported to the police yesterday. A married woman named Choy Kam-yung, 22, was sent to the Kowloon Hospital suffering from poisoning. She was under the impression that she was going blind. Her condition is not serious.

Au Sze, 47, married woman, attempted to commit suicide by jumping into the harbour. She was sent to the Queen Mary hospital.

A man named Lai Sing, 25, attempted suicide by hanging in a public latrine. He was also sent to the Queen Mary hospital.

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INVADERS TRAPPED BY FLOOD WATERS IN ABANDONED CITY

Hankow, Aug. 4.

Japanese troops have achieved the occupation of Hwangmei but the city is now under water, according to Chinese reports.

A Chinese military communique states that the Japanese at Susung on August 2 advanced westward towards Hwangmei along the highway, forcing the Chinese to withdraw to the hills, north-west of the town.

The Yangtse is said to have risen steadily during the past fortnight resulting in a flooding of the area on the north bank from Siaoohikou, opposite Kiukiang, through Kungton to Hwangmei.

The Chinese forces, seeing the Yangtse flood waters pouring into Hwangmei decided to abandon the city, "while the Japanese, entering now, find themselves trapped by the flood."—Reuter.

SHANSI SITUATION UNCHANGED

Peking, Aug. 4.
A Japanese spokesman announced that the situation in south Shansi is unchanged.

He said that 3,000 independent Chinese cavalry, who were formerly Manchurian troops under a certain Lieut-General Li, who had their base near Fengchen, south of Suiyuan, surrendered on July 28, and that they will be reorganised and used as peace preservation forces.—United Press.

Italy Will Speed Up War Machine

General Staffs In Secret Conference

Rome, Aug. 3.

Meetings between the chiefs of general staffs of the Army, and Air Force, presided over by Il Duce, at which the Foreign Minister was also present, are officially revealed.

It is understood that apart from new equipment, the main purposes of the meetings, from which the Navy was excluded, was the co-ordination of the new armament programme.

No details of the new programme are given in the official communique which merely states that the object is to increase the efficiency of the Italian armed forces.

The new measures are apparently aimed at strengthening Italy's power of attack, and some light is thrown on the subject by editorial comments in the Tribuna which states: "War with rapid decision has for some time been the principal scheme of the Italian military strategists and war technicians. The intensive production of new artillery and portable arms has permitted a notable strengthening of gun power. "Measures under consideration regarding infantry divisions will allow big units greater freedom of movement without diminishing their shock capacity."—Reuter.

OPIMUM FOUND

Li Chuen, 54, unemployed, was fined \$200 at Central Magistracy to-day with the alternative of two months' imprisonment and in addition, \$150 or, in default, two months' imprisonment, for possession of opium and keeping an opium den at an address in Chinese Street.

FEAR OF FLOODS SPREADING

100,000 Mobilised To Fight River

Hankow, Aug. 4.

With the Yellow River approaching the season of its highest levels, fears are growing that flood waters may spread to Chengchow. The flood waters at present are only seven miles from Chengchow, where the authorities are mobilising 100,000 refugees to strengthen the dykes on the west bank of the Chiau River.

This is part of the Government's relief programme, for refugees who obtain pay for their labours.

A special garden party was arranged here last night, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Yellow River Flood Relief Fund.—Reuter Special.

NAVY HONOURS HER MAJESTY

In celebration of the birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth to-day, H.M. Ships in harbour are dressed overall until sunset. At noon, a Royal Salute was fired by H.M.S. Tamar and the guard paraded.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

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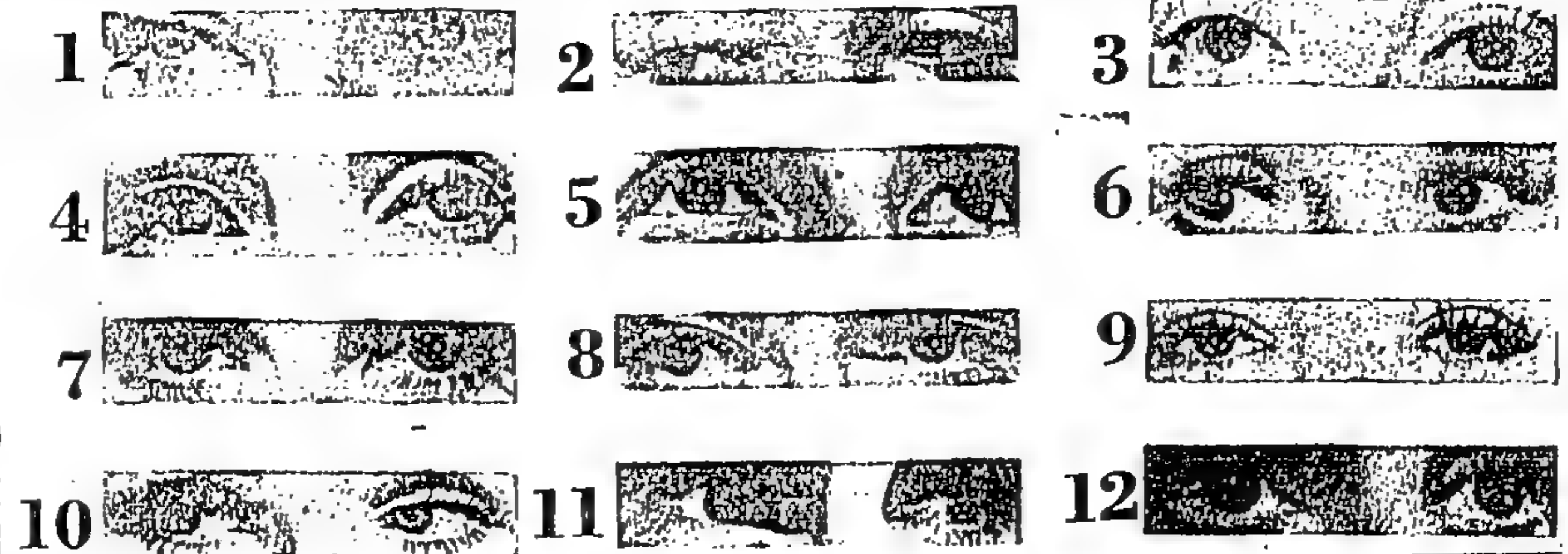
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SHUTTING EYES
TO DANGER

Every one must realise the terrible potentialities of the current Russo-Japanese dispute and the danger to the peace of the world which is growing ominously large at Changku-feng, a hilly few square miles of country near the junction of the borders of Manchukuo, Russia and Korea. But it seems to be the policy of the European capitals to shut their eyes to the facts and hope for the best. That attitude has been characteristic of the British Government as much as any other during the last few years and may have been in a large measure responsible for the successful series of coups which ambitious leaders recently accomplished at the expense of lesser states. But if the Great Powers could afford to trust to luck and the League of Nations in such crises as that which grew between Yugo-Slavia and Hungary following the assassination of King Alexander; or that which followed the original German threat to invade Austria, which brought the Italians swiftly to the Brenner Pass; or that which developed with intervention in Spain; or that which arose out of the Italian invasion of Ethiopia, or any of those other lesser episodes in modern history, they dare not do so now. Every effort should be strained to keep the Manchukuo frontier "incident" in precisely that category—something isolated and unimportant. And there is good hope of accomplishing it when obviously both Japan and Russia are reluctant to come to serious grips. If it is allowed to develop into real warfare and the long-threatening test of Russian and Japanese strength in the Far East actually comes to pass, it may be too late to prevent a world-wide conflict. Such is the state of Europe's international politics, such the unfortunate alignment of powers at this time, that it is inevitable that sympathisers with one or other of the contending nations would take a part in their quarrel. The existence of the Anti-Comintern pact points to the probable direction from which that intervention first would come. Moreover, it was reported from authoritative quarters only recently that if Japan ever needed assistance in her "holy war" in China there would be European troops prepared to embark immediately. It would be the height of folly to trust that the Franco-Russian defensive alliance would deter those whose whole policy is based on the destruction of the Soviet's system. With Russia attacked France would find herself dragged into the horrible business of slaughter. From that point it would be impossible to prevent the spread of the fire. It is therefore the duty of every power

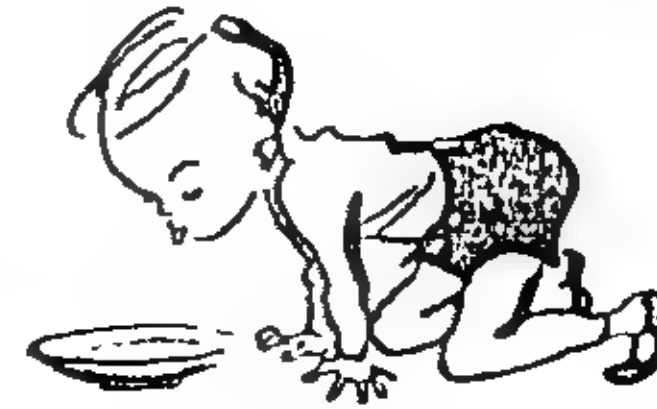
Don't Call Your Child a Liar

BY the time I was four or five I felt my sins were so enormous that I was entirely black inside. This wasn't just a vague feeling but a conviction so vivid that when I fell down and grazed myself the pain disappeared in my relief at seeing the blood run red. Not that a gallon of red blood could have altered my belief, but it concealed the damning state of affairs from my nurse and parents.

My parents were not unusually strict; on the contrary, it often astonished me how lightly they would treat some misdemeanour for which I expected little less than death. We had swings and a big garden and a house built by my brother and me so high among the branches of a dead tree that no adult could reach it.

But there were certain things that were looked on severely, and of these the Lie was the worst.

I expect my grandparents held it in greater horror than did my parents, for there were rumours of their children being shut up in dark rooms and restricted to bread and water because



of it. Nothing like that ever had seen a ferocious old man, whom I was friendly dismissed happened to us, and my brother, I said, coming in from the woods at the bottom of the garden never once accused of telling a lie. But on myself from the earliest years a fatal curse had fixed itself: I was a liar.

How it began I don't know. Did I in my cot clutch my brother's rag-books so fiercely to myself that I implied, even before I could pronounce the words, that they were mine? Still earlier did I pretend that I had had nothing to drink for hours, although the bottle had only just been wrested from my inebriate grip?

From the time I can remember clearly there were two kinds of lie in which I specialised. The first didn't feel like a lie at all, because there was none of that fearful strain as the words approached my tongue, as, my eyes stiff with horror, I seemed to watch it flow out involuntarily into the air in front of me.

This first kind came easily and unsuspectingly to me: I

anxious to preserve the peace to treat this Manchukuo episode with the seriousness it deserves. It would already appear that the situation is largely out of the hands of the Governments concerned. Perhaps they are content to rely upon the judgment of the "officer on the spot." But it would be a wise thing, surely, and requiring no costly effort or risk of complications, if friendly powers both of Russia and Japan were to exert every bit of their influence to prevent the officers on the frontier doing anything to further endanger the general peace. If it is too late to stop the growth of this trouble, every opportunity should be taken to keep it isolated in the Far East. Reassurances from the Governments of Europe which might become involved would be welcome. Even those who feel that a Russo-Japanese war might mean the sure salvation of China will hardly argue that such a conflict should be encouraged with the fearful risks it must involve. Finally, if diplomacy can hold out little hope of settlement in this crisis perhaps a bold, frank statement of joint policy by Britain, France and the United States might deter any one who contemplated using a Russo-Japanese conflict to further his own political schemes.

flood of yellow light an officer wearing naval uniform kiss a girl who had her arm around his shoulder.

But the last of these I never told to anyone, because I had learnt by then that it was dangerous. There was a slight stiffening in the atmosphere as you talked; then, if you paused, a strangely intent look and two or three icy questions which exposed the impossibility of what you said. After that the denunciation that you were lying was unnecessary, because it had come to be acknowledged even by myself.

But my reputation extended beyond what a charwoman with

as "story-telling." It covered most of the routine events of my life—had I washed my hands, did I want to go to the lavatory, had I stolen my brother's pocket knife?

The answer to these questions, if it was supplied by me, was known to be untrustworthy; in fact, it was usually looked on as the opposite of the

truth, so that I have often thought the desire to appear innocent can scarcely have been among my motives, since the jury returned its verdict before the trial had begun.

Well, there it was: I told deliberate lies, the fact was acknowledged throughout the family, for by now my brother, whose thoughts had once been more merciful, had been infected by the doctrine of sin, and to safeguard himself when it was a question of apportioning blame would invoke my reputation.

Often I used to feel so furious that I could, like the enfeebled Samson, have lifted giant pillars to bring destruction on their

heads, and my threats with gardening implements caused, as it was, enough alarm for the doctor to be called in for a sort of psycho-physical examination. But the result was unsatisfactory because, I guess, they suspected me of telling lies.

It seems to me now a pity that I wasted all that strength and horror. It seems a pity that children are not endowed with intelligence and a sense of justice instead of stupidity and a crippling load of guilt, because more lies are told to them than to any class of people except tax commissioners, and the children are not able to expose them.

They are told that they were found under gooseberry bushes, that the old man dressed in red sacks and a false beard is Father Christmas, that it will rain if they don't behave themselves, that they don't grow up at all if they don't do this and that; and although they are half aware that these things are lies, they don't know enough to be able to refute them, they feel only a dim sense of outrage at being accused of the crime from which they themselves continually suffer.

The lie, I know, is a necessary part of civilisation; all kind and good-hearted people use it as well as nurses on the lookout for expedient threats; but don't let them vent their own sense of guilt like aerial torpedoes on the children they are supposed to be educating.

The other day when I was in the country I was walking past a hedge which borders a cottage garden. There was a woman bending over one of the flowerbeds and a small boy ran up to her making a noise like a one cylinder petrol engine. "Mummy," he roared, "Mummy! I'm a wasp!"

And then as I stopped dead to listen—for it seemed to me a terrible situation, and I thought his voice had faltered a bit on the last word as if he were not quite certain of its truth—there was a pause in which everything seemed to hold its breath.

But the mother stirred slightly over her plants and said, "Well, don't sting me, will you?" and I was already walking on up the road with joy in my heart, and I could hear the small boy threatening her, "I might, Mummy, I might, because I'm such a big one."

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Don't you remember? I had that shirt laundered while we were in one of them European countries!"

CHINESE DESTROY TWELVE RAIDERS

Admit Loss Of Six Machines

Hankow, Aug. 4. Chinese aviation headquarters claim that 12 Japanese planes, comprising 11 pursuers and one bomber, were shot down yesterday morning by Chinese aircraft which intercepted a group of 70 Japanese machines heading for Hankow.

The Chinese admit the loss of six machines, but the Japanese officially claim to have shot down 32 Chinese planes.

The Japanese say that two Japanese planes are missing.—*Reuter.*

Eight Planes Located

Hankow, Aug. 4. Seven of the 12 Japanese planes which were shot down by Chinese aircraft during the daylight over Wuhan yesterday have already been located, and four Japanese aircraft have been captured, according to the military aviation headquarters.

Two of the invading machines were found at Sihchow, and two others at Kiayu in the vicinity of Hankow. The remaining three were discovered at Kinkow, Tachow and Nankai.

Of the four aircraft captured alive, one was caught at Kinkow and the remaining three at Huiyung, near Hankow.

It is now learned that during the air battle over Nankai, one of the Chinese pursuit planes collided with a Japanese machine. The Japanese craft burst into flames and crashed. Its crew perished. The Chinese pilot, however, bailed out in his parachute and landed safely. *Central News.*

A later report states that the wreckage of a Japanese bomber has been located at Sihchow, south-east of Siachen in Hooan. Two Japanese aircraft have been captured there and will shortly be escorted to Hankow. *Central News.*

Chinese Raiders Succeed

Hankow, Aug. 4. Chinese aircraft staged another successful raid over the Japanese aerodrome at Anking and a concentration of Japanese warships in the Yangtze River early yesterday morning, when one enemy vessel and many enemy planes on the ground were severely damaged and two of a group of 19 Japanese planes which challenged them were shot down.

The Chinese raiders first attacked the aerodrome. Power-driven low, they dumped tons of bombs. Many Japanese planes were believed to have been damaged.

After raiding the aerodrome, they flew over the Yangtze River and struck at a concentration of 12 Japanese warships. One of them was hit and severely damaged.

At this juncture a squadron of 19 Japanese planes rose to give battle. In the ensuing dogfight, 12 Japanese planes were hit and crashed in flames. All Chinese planes returned safely to their base.

The Chinese gunner who was responsible for the destruction of both the Japanese machines was hit by a bullet in the leg but despite his wound, he continued to fight.

The propeller of one of the Chinese planes was hit by Japanese bullets. But with great presence of mind and dexterity the Chinese pilot steered the machine back safely to the base together with other planes. *Central News.*

Tree Thieves Continue Operations

Heavy sentences were received by several persons when they pleaded guilty to forestry offences before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Wong Sze, 41, unemployed, was fined \$250 or three months' hard labour when he was charged with cutting pine trees at Government Plantation in the Aberdeen district. A caretaker of a bathing shed, Ting Chiu, 64, was fined \$50 or two months for possession of four pine tree trunks. Sergeant Estill prosecuted in both cases.

For possession of 70 cuttings of pine tree wood on the hillside at Stanley Terrace, Wing Fook, 31, unemployed, was fined \$250 or three months.

Another man named, Li Lam, 43, who was arrested at Pokfulam in possession of 21 cuttings of wild tree wood valued at 42 cents was also fined \$250 or three months.

Inspector W. Blair prosecuted, and said that the man had three previous convictions for similar offences.

PREMIER GOES ON HOLIDAY

London, Aug. 3. The Prime Minister returned to Downing Street from Chequers this afternoon, and to-night he left by train for a fishing holiday in the North of Scotland. While at No. 10 Downing Street, he saw one or two of his colleagues who are in London including the Colonial Secretary and the Foreign Secretary.—*British Wireless.*

COWARDLY CRIMINAL CAPTURED

Volunteer Pursuers Run Thief Down

"It is a cowardly crime of the worst description. You picked a victim who was unlikely to resist and certainly unable to chase you. Had it not been for the timely appearance of Mr. R. Castro and Mr. C. F. Remedios and their public spirit in chasing you, you would have got clean away."

Thus commented Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day when passing sentence of six months' hard labour on a 21-year-old man, Chan Kam, charged with larceny of a handbag from Mrs. A. C. Botelho, 63.

Yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Botelho was on the street stairway of a house in Liberty Avenue, Homantin, when the defendant approached her from the rear and snatched the handbag, valued with its contents at \$65, which she was carrying under her left arm.

The alarm she raised attracted the attention of Mr. Castro and Mr. Remedios who were in the vicinity and they chased the defendant through Peace Avenue, and Waterloo Road. Mr. Castro finally arrested the defendant as he was running towards the Chinese Cemetery. On the defendant's person was found a small purse, containing \$38.64, this purse had been taken out of the handbag which was discarded by the defendant during the chase.

SOVIET MOBILISING IN SIBERIA

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Foreigners from Mukden assert that troops are going northward at a rate of over six trains a day.

For the first time for many days Chinese newspapers are publishing Manchukuo border news.

The stories are identical to those published in the foreign press on August 1.

The Chinese populace is hopelessly waiting developments, and is very anxious that Japan should be embroiled with Russia.

The Japanese here are slightly subdued. *United Press.*

Further Fighting Inevitable

Moscow, Aug. 4. While an official communique says that further fighting on the Soviet-Manchukuo border is inevitable, resentment reached a high pitch at nation-wide mass meetings, whose text was exemplified by the official organ, *Pravda*, which observes:

"The fascist birds of prey are grinding the knife to attack the Soviet on our frontier, an object of craving for the jackals and hyenas of Fascism. But the brave guards and the Red Army are vigilantly protecting the Soviet border." *United Press.*

Reported Retirement

Keijo, Aug. 4. The Korean Army communique issued yesterday after noon states that the Soviets have suspended the Changkufeng offensive. The report states that Soviet infantry advanced 150 metres and then retreated for approximately 1,000 metres from the Japanese positions, and were at present erecting defences.

The communique reported that Russian infantry, occupying a hill two kilometres south-east of Changkufeng, retreated "some distance."

The report stated that clouds were hanging over Changkufeng, and no Soviet planes had been sighted, though they had been heard.

A Tokyo message says that General Ugaki visited Prince Konoye for what is characterised as an "important conference." *United Press.*

Punishment Demanded

Moscow, Aug. 3. Forty thousand workers in the Stalin automobile factory at Moscow to-day passed a resolution calling on the Government to "punish the provocations of the Japanese militarists."

They announced their readiness to "take up arms mercilessly against enemy in their territory."

Units of the Red Navy, serving with the Amur River flotilla, who are due to be demobilised in the autumn, have indicated their willingness to continue with the colours.

Resolutions supporting the Government in any action it may take against the Japanese have been received from the Collective Farmers and Tractor Brigades and Don Cossacks.—*Reuter.*

200 Killed Yesterday

Japanese Claim

Tokyo, Aug. 4. About 200 Russian troops were estimated to have been killed in Wednesday's fighting, according to a Korean Army communique, which declares that the Soviet troops kept up their fire in the Changkufeng area from dawn until 3 p.m. yesterday, when approximately three Russian battalions began moving northward.

It is estimated that Soviet troops at Changkufeng comprise three infantry regiments, one mechanised brigade, with about 230 tanks.—*Reuter.*

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with the radio station—Hanyang, Shinhwa, Empress of Japan, President Adams, Norviken, Aslan, Chakong, Aramis and Onelsenau.

AIR FREIGHT RATES CUT ON PACIFIC

The local representatives of Pan American Airways Company have announced that effective with Flight 232, scheduled to depart from Hongkong on August 8, all air express cargo rates from Hongkong to Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and San Francisco have been reduced considerably.

Previously the cost per pound of shipping parcels by Clipper from Hongkong to San Francisco was U.S.\$4.48. This has been reduced to U.S.\$2.16. Similarly, the Hongkong-Manila rate of U.S.\$0.54 per pound has been reduced to U.S.\$0.37; Hongkong to Guam, from U.S.\$1.07 to U.S.\$0.80 per pound; Hongkong-Honolulu, from U.S.\$3.28 to U.S.\$1.59 per pound.

Since the inauguration of Clipper service to Hongkong, air express has proved to be a boon to foreign firms in the Orient, for all types of commodities, samples, perishable goods, bullion, articles of high intrinsic value, documents, etc., have been shipped between Hongkong and the United States by this means. Swift embroidery merchants have received valuable trade advantages from the use of air express in the forwarding of their samples to United States markets; newsreel cameramen covering the Sino-Japanese war have forwarded thousands of feet of film, which is shown one week later in American motion picture houses. In the Orient, for all types of commodities, samples, perishable goods, bullion, articles of high intrinsic value, documents, etc., have been shipped between Hongkong and the United States by this means. Swift embroidery merchants have received valuable trade advantages from the use of air express in the forwarding of their samples to United States markets; newsreel cameramen covering the Sino-Japanese war have forwarded thousands of feet of film, which is shown one week later in American motion picture houses. In the Orient, for all types of commodities, samples, perishable goods, bullion, articles of high intrinsic value, documents, etc., have been shipped between Hongkong and the United States by this means. Swift embroidery merchants have received valuable trade advantages from the use of air express in the forwarding of their samples to United States markets; newsreel cameramen covering the Sino-Japanese war have forwarded thousands of feet of film, which is shown one week later in American motion picture houses.

It is anticipated that these new cheap rates will prove to be a definite stimulus to present and prospective users of Pan-American Airways' international air express service.

MODIFIED SERVICE APPROVED

Washington, Aug. 3. Pan-American Airways has announced that the Post Office has approved a modified weekly schedule, shipping every third Wednesday.

It is emphasised that the delay in the departure of the Philippines Clipper until Saturday is merely to allow better spacing between the two ships, after which the schedule will be August 17 and 24, September 7, 14 and 28. *United Press.*

Hongkong's Greetings To Queen

His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong has despatched to the Secretary of State for Colonies a message for Her Majesty the Queen on the occasion of her birthday, to-day.

The message reads: "Grateful if you will convey to Her Majesty the Queen the loyal and hearty congratulations and good wishes of all communities in Hongkong on the occasion of her birthday."

80 Now Dead In Wild Riots About Rangoon

Rangoon, Aug. 3. Rioting, looting and murder are still prevalent in various districts, though Rangoon is normal. The total casualties are 80 killed and 300 wounded, including 20 Indians killed at Tharawaddy, and scores wounded.—*Reuter Special.*

GUERRILLAS SCORING IN MANY DISTRICTS

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Shensi reveal that the Chinese are attacking the Japanese at Shinkang, west of Kuwo, on three sides.

Fierce fighting has taken place outside the town in the past two days with the Japanese suffering heavily. Nearly one half of the 200 Japanese garrison soldiers at Hsialakun are reported to have been annihilated.

A section of the Tungpu Railway south of Linfen has been damaged by Chinese mobile bands, rendering Japanese transportation along the line extremely difficult.—*Central News.*

NAVY CONTINUES OCEAN SEARCH

Manila, Aug. 4. Although indications are that hopes are dwindling of tracing the ill-fated *Hawfin* Clipper, lost somewhere in the Pacific Ocean, the United States Navy is to continue the search. However, the Army will cease to participate unless a new lead is discovered.—*United Press.*

AIR MAIL SCHEDULE CHANGING

To Link Hongkong With Main Service

Consequent upon the introduction of the Empire Air Mail programme to Australia, a revision of schedule of the Hongkong-Bangkok air service has been made by the Imperial Airways (Far East) Limited.

The days of arrival at and departure from Hongkong of the feeder service planes between these two ports will be slightly changed. As from Friday, August 12, the mails will leave Hongkong for Bangkok every Friday and Tuesday, and in the reverse direction will leave Bangkok for the Colony on the same days.

Started on July 28, there will now be three services per week in each direction between London and Sydney, leaving Southampton on Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays and arriving in Sydney on Saturdays, Mondays and Tuesdays the following week.

BRITISH FIRMS FIGHT FOR RIGHTS IN CHINA

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which was anchored alongside a light vessel, but they failed to register a hit. Captain Crawley immediately crossed the river and beached the ship on the north bank of the Yangtze, but the vessel shortly afterwards suffered a direct hit by a bomb and was gutted.

Killed Wading Ashore

Captain Crawley and two Chinese were believed to have been killed by machine-gun bullets while making their way ashore. The naval doctor reports that Captain Crawley's death was due to machine-gunning.

It is possible that Captain Crawley was shot while wading ashore as it now transpires that his body floated a short way down the river and was brought back to the beached vessel by Chinese fishermen.

Flew Low Over Gnat

H.M.S. Gnat also had an exciting experience when Japanese planes flew overhead. One of these passed within a stone's throw of the bridge. However, the Union Jack was prominently displayed and the Japanese machines proceeded on their way.

The news of Captain Crawley's death has been conveyed to his wife, who was deeply shocked, and had to be rushed to hospital immediately. Captain Crawley informed *Reuter's* correspondent and a handful of other foreigners on Monday that he was making a cruise down the river. He said: "I don't look forward to the trip. I feel something is going to happen."—*Reuter.*

Americans Safe

Washington, Aug. 3. The American Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson Johnson, has notified the State Department that American nationals at Kueikang are safe.

He said he had moved the Embassy to Chungking, maintaining only temporary headquarters at Hankow. Captain Crawley informed *Reuter's* correspondent and a handful of other foreigners on Monday that he was making a cruise down the river. He said: "I don't look forward to the trip. I feel something is going to happen."—*Reuter.*

JAPANESE CHIEFLY TO BLAME FOR CLASH

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troops who are at hand, either accidentally or conveniently.

EXTENSION OF DISPUTE IMPOSSIBLE

The *News-Chronicle* says that despite the very serious tone of the reports from Tokyo and from Moscow, the impression still prevails in official circles in London that any grave extension of the dispute is improbable. Neither the Soviet nor Japan is believed to desire an open conflict at this stage. On the evidence available the view held in London is that the fighting hitherto has taken place on territory that is clearly regarded as Russian, and this disposes of the theory that the Soviet is deliberately staging a diversion in the interests of the sorely-pressed Chinese forces.

DELIBERATE PROVOCATION

The *Daily Express* political correspondent says that the theory that the Russo-Japanese conflict has been stage-managed by a local Japanese commander to justify panic demands for reinforcements to meet the Russian "danger" is finding credence among London diplomats, and it is believed he may have provoked the incidents to justify his claim.

The correspondent understands that there are about 400,000 Russian troops and 300,000 Japanese troops already in the trouble area. He adds that information received in London shows that the Soviet troops have been on the defensive, and have not attacked the Japanese.—*Reuter.*

GUARD AGAINST RUMOURS

Peking, Aug. 4. The Chefoo correspondent of the *Hsin Ming Pao* reports that the police are forbidding the spreading of rumours which has caused much trouble previously, making the people desert the streets, suddenly panic-stricken.—*United Press.*

RADIO BROADCAST

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8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.02 London Relay—'World Affairs'.

A talk by A. P. Newton, Rhodes Professor of Imperial History in the University of London.

8.15 Studio—A Recital by Anne Winter (Soprano) accompanied by A. T. Lay (Piano).

8.40 Studio—A Concert by Z.B.W. Orchestra.

1. Piazza del Popolo (Frederiksen); 2. Dance Of The Sylphs (Marquardt); 3. To You (Czibulka)....Z.B.W. Orchestra; 4. O Gathering Clouds (Arr. Buln) Love's Secret (Blake—Bantock)....John McCormack (Tenor) piano accomp. by Edwin Schneider; 5. Valse—Children Of Vienna (Strauss)....Z.B.W. Orchestra; 6. Son O' Mine (From 'Fanny')....W. Wallace; 7. The Rebel (From 'Frederick Songs') W. Wallace; 8. Dennis Noble (Baritone) with Piano; 9. Selections from 'The Merry Widow' (Lehar)....Z.B.W. Orchestra.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Military Band Music.

Washington Post (Sousa)....The Band Of H.M. Welsh Guards under the direction of Major Andrew Harris with Male chorus; 'Review Of The Troops'; Intro; Scipio; King Cotton; Galopade; Cock o' the North; God Save the King; May Blossom; Royal Artillery; Slow March; British Grenadiers; Highland Laddie; St. Patrick's Day; Men of Harlech; Money Musk; Wait for the Wagon....Band Of H.M. Welsh Guards.

10.0 London Relay—The Royal Nationalist Elsteddfod Of Wales, Cardiff, 1938.

Welcome to Overseas Visitors.

A commentary on the scene as visitors from overseas are welcomed on the Elsteddfod platform from the Elsteddfod Pavilion, Sophia Gardens, Cardiff.

10.20 A Welsh Programme.

Gipsy Laughing Chorus (J. Bell) Rhonda Welsh Glee Singers; Ar Hyd Y Nos (All Through The Night Old Welsh Air); My Little Welsh Home (Songs of the Welsh Mountaineers)....Lella Megane (Contralto) with Piano; Welsh Memories—Vocal Medley (Arr. Evans and Francis); Intro—Bells of Aberdovey; The Blackbird; The

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STOMACH SUFFERER "One Mass of Bones"

There is nothing like continued stomach trouble for "getting you down." Mrs. E. H., for instance, lost weight most alarmingly and suffered excruciating pain: "Working in a hot atmosphere," she writes, "I got indigestion and gastric trouble, and had several medicines. I tried everything and to no good. It got so bad that even a little boiled water caused me to vomit. I was one mass of bones, I got so thin. The pain was terrible. As a last resort, I thought I would try Maclean Brand Stomach Powder. From the first dose, I found relief and the sickness stopped. I was soon able to take food again until now I can eat almost anything without pain or ill-effects."

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FINCHER BEATS COATES IN BOWLS TOURNAMENT

SPLENDID GAME SEEN IN THIRD ROUND SINGLES HYDE-LAY ONLY FORMER CHAMPION REMAINING

(By "Abe")

With the defeat of A. E. Coates by E. C. Fincher on the Indian R.C. green yesterday afternoon, A. Hyde-Lay is the only former champion left in the Lawn Bowls singles championship of the Colony. Hyde-Lay was to have played A. E. Carey at Kowloon Docks yesterday, but the tie was postponed as the green was not in a fit condition for play.

A very heavy shower fell at Sze-lun-poo just before 8 p.m. yesterday, but by then Fincher, Coates, J. E. Henson and W. K. Way were already on their way down to the Indian R.C., and it was decided to wait a few minutes to see how the green would turn out. The players' optimism was rewarded; at 8.45 p.m. the water had soaked in and play was then commenced.

Fincher and Coates had a very close game all the way, the former winning out by 21-17. The green played surprisingly well in spite of the early rain. If anything, it was on the fast side, especially towards the closing stage of the match.

Fincher preferred the long heads, in which he almost invariably scored, while Coates liked the short ones.

COATES TAKES LEAD

At the end of the tenth head, the score was 7-6 in favour of Fincher, but with a series of short heads, Coates forged ahead to 13-7 at the end of the 14th. Though he conceded a brace on the 15th, Coates went further ahead to 16-9 on the 17th. Then he got stuck, Fincher winning seven heads in a row to lead 20-16. Fincher nearly reached game on the 24th when he was leading 16-10. Lying one, Fincher pushed out Coates' second shot, which was lying a foot in front of the jack, leaving himself with two for sure and measure for third. When the tape was applied, it was found that Coates had the third by an eighth of an inch.

This was only a delay of the end, however, for after giving away a single, Fincher obtained his winning shot on the 26th for the match.

Throughout a high standard was maintained, there being some fine heads played. Coates was not quite as consistent as his opponent, but his last wood saved him on several occasions from big counts. On the 20th head, for instance, Fincher, trailing 14-16, was lying four bonettes when Coates had his last wood to roll.

Bowls Results At A Glance

Only two matches were played in the Lawn Bowls singles championship of the Colony yesterday, the results being as follows:

Third Round

E. C. Fincher beat A. E. Coates 21-17 on the 26th.
W. K. Way beat J. E. Henson 21-16 on the 25th.

and the C.C.C. player pushed up a front wood to take second shot. In at least two other heads when Fincher was lying two, Coates came up with his last wood to sit on the jack.

HENSON BEATEN

On an adjoining rink, W. K. Way eliminated J. E. Henson by 21-16. There were also some good heads played in this match, in which Way had a good start and a good finish. He had seven before Henson started with a two, but a four on the ninth took him to 11-3. Henson then made a good recovery, and with the help of a three and three twos, he was on level terms at 16-16 on the 22nd. It was here that Way made his final point, taking three twos in a row to terminate the match.

TODAY'S MATCH

According to the official programme, only one match will be played in the third round of the singles-to-day. At the Club de Rekrete, T. Coleman will meet G. C. Logan, in the second round. This should prove a good game as both men are playing very well at the moment. Norman, though not as experienced as the Kowloon Dock man, has become one of the best senior leads in the Colony, and as C. M. Silva has so conclusively proved in the course of the current championships, consistency more than makes up for ripe experience.



Don Bradman is shown here as he was bowled by Verity in the first innings of the Second Test at Lord's after he had made only 18. He tried to late-cut a ball which came with the arm and played it on to his wicket. This was the eighth occasion that the Yorkshire left-hander had claimed the great Don's wicket in a Test match. No other bowler in the world has equalled this performance.

TRIBUTES PAID TO SUZANNE LENGLEN

Tributes paid to the memory of Mlle. Lenglen include the following: H. W. Austin: She was without doubt the greatest player and the most brilliant personality that the tennis world has ever known. She was incomparable.

Jacques Brugnon, who was Mlle. Lenglen's mixed doubles partner from 1921 to 1926: Every French tennis player mourns an excellent comrade, a devoted friend, Mlle. Lenglen was for all of us, at the time when French tennis was still in its infancy, a marvellous guide, and no one who made that first trip to Wimbledon with her will ever forget her unequalled advice.

Jean Borotra: Her place in French tennis will never be filled. We her friends will always remember her, and will try to continue the work which she started.

Mrs. Willis Moody: Her success was due to her accuracy, combined with the marvellous intelligence of her play and her perfect sense of strategy. Her ball control was amazing and she never lost her head. It is regrettable that no complete film of her play was made, since it would constitute an inspiration for all of us.

Miss Helen Jacobs: Suzanne was one of my best friends. We often played together and she taught me a great deal.

W. Tilden: Her knowledge of tennis has had a great influence on the development of the game since she became a professional.

Rene Lacoste: She personified the genius of tennis in its highest form. The magnificent work that she did for young players must at all costs be perpetuated, and I should like to see created a "Suzanne Lenglen" school of tennis.

GOLF COTTON IN MIXED FOURSOMES WINS CALCOT EVENT WITH MRS. DE MOSS

Henry Cotton, the open champion, and Mrs. de Moss, who won the Austrian women's championship last year, won the mixed foursomes competition at Calcut, Rending, recently. Playing from a handicap of four they finished with 69, 70-139 net.

A. H. Padgham, champion two years ago, and Miss I. Duxford, who were the back-markers, were level, at 69 net, with Mrs. de Moss and Cotton after one round, but faltered afterwards to finish three strokes behind.

Cotton and his partner played well to turn in 35, but dropped strokes on the inward half. At the tenth they took three putts after Cotton had driven the green-282 yards. Mrs. de Moss failed from 6ft. at the short 13th, which cost them four, and they took three putts at the 15th.

The best hole in the round was the 11th (400 yards), where Cotton hit a long drive, Mrs. de Moss played a good iron shot, and Cotton holed the putt of 20ft. for a three. In the afternoon they went out in 37, and in a homeward half of 37, once again took 4's at the short 10th and 13th, both one-shot holes. But they also had another 3 at the long 14th, where Cotton holed from 7ft.

Padgham and Miss Duxford (1) played well for their net 69 in the morning, being out in 36 and home in a splendid 34. They virtually lost their place when taking seven at the second hole (267 yards) in the afternoon.

Turning in 38 they were only two over 4's, with four holes to play, but required three putts at the 15th, which gave them no chance of overtaking Cotton and Mrs. de Moss, despite a steady finish of 4 3 4.

Mrs. de Moss and T. H. Cotton (Ashridge) (4), 70-139.
Miss I. Duxford and A. H. Padgham (Sundridge Park) (1), 69 73-142.
Lady D. Neumann and W. Smithers (Sunningdale) (5) 73 70-143.
Miss Lane and F. Wallis (Farnham) (5), 72 72-144.
Mrs. Gardiner and L. Holland (Gerrards

IRISH TENNIS TITLE FOR MRS. MOODY

London, July 11.
Mrs. Willis Moody won the Irish lawn tennis title at the Fitzwilliam Club, Dublin, on Saturday, defeating the holder, Miss T. R. Jarvis 6-4, 6-3.

In the men's singles final D. Anderson (U.S.A.) beat G. L. Rogers, the holder, 6-3, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

Singles finals at other tournaments resulted as follows:
Leicester: W. C. Choy (China) beat G. R. B. Meredith, 6-4, 6-4; Mrs. Haylock beat Miss M. Riddell, 6-3, 6-2.

Edinburgh: F. Puncce (Yugoslavia) beat Kho Sin Kie (China), 7-5, 6-7, 6-4; Miss R. M. Hardwick defeated Madame Mathieu (France), 7-5, 6-1; Borotra and Gentien (France) beat Puncce and Mittle, 10-8, 6-4, 6-4.

Both E. J. Filby and E. R. Avery, the two remaining British players left in the German men's singles championships, lost their matches yesterday (says Reuter). Filby was beaten by R. Gopfert (Germany) 6-3, 6-2, 6-4, and Avery lost to H. Redl 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

In the women's singles Miss Valerie Scott beat Fraulien Morczek (Germany) 6-4, 6-0, and Miss Margot Lumb beat Miss E. Wederkind (Germany) 6-4, 6-4.

Donald Budge added the Czechoslovakian Championship to his titles when he beat L. Hecht, the Davis Cup player, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4 at Prague.

At Noordwyk Mrs. Heine Miller won the Dutch championship by beating Miss Nancy Wynne in the final 6-0, 6-2.

Cross) (5), 75 71-146.

Miss N. Gibbons (Sunningdale) and P. P. Wynne (Datchwood Hall) (2), 72, 72-146.

Mrs. Hutchinson and A. J. Miles (Denham) (4), 72, 72-146.

Mrs. Deeson and E. E. Whitcombe (Porters Park) (3), 73 74, 60 140.

Miss Baker and W. J. Cox (Wimbledon Park) (4), 74 72-146.

Miss D. Stephens and A. Poulton (Burling) (4 1/2), 71 74 74-146.

WOODERSON BEATS THE BUSTLERS IN SOUTHERN MEET

By Fred Dartnell

London, June 27.

The sixteenth Southern Athletic Championships, held at Gillingham, attracted a satisfactory response from the public, but was not altogether a success from the competitors' point of view.

Ten out of the sixteen holders of title were absent, and of the others only A. A. Cooper, the Two Miles Walk champion, succeeded for the eighth time in retaining his honours.

The track was far from being in good order and the poor conditions were probably in a measure responsible for the defeat of five of the champions. Two competitors suffered pulled muscles, A. C. Emphy in the Quarter and A. E. Etheridge in the Three Miles.

The former was going splendidly in his final and 200 yards from home when his accident occurred he promised to win the event, which went to H. E. Pack.

There were no new records established, but Sweeney equalled the 9.8sec. for the 100 yds. made by J. C. Heap six years ago at the White City.

Sweeney did not turn out in the furlong and wisely so considering that he is to run at Antwerp next Sunday and the A.A.A. championships follow so soon after. In his absence A. T. Liffen had a grand struggle up the straight with H. C. Wickerson and beat the Highbury man by a short nose.

BRILLIANT WOODERSON
The strong breeze was not helpful to anybody, but a good time was registered in the 120yds. hurdles by J. St. L. Thornton, of the Achilles. Finlay was, of course, the favourite, but as at the Kinraid meet a week previously he hit two of his hurdles and was beaten by inches in the run-in. The time 14.8sec. equals the Southern record, but I still fancy Finlay for the big championship in three weeks time.

The outstanding race of the afternoon was, of course, the half-mile, in which Wooderson started against such rivals as Collyer (holder), MacCabe and Powell. The Blackheath man did not have a comfortable journey. He was badly hustled at the opening bend from the pistol and later on boxed up in a suggestion and fashion that reminded me of Lovelock's similar experience in the same event at Chelmsford two years ago.

DEFEAT OF WARD
Wooderson made light of the opposition, however. After a daring, semicircular dash from sixth place to second, he passed Collyer round the last bend. The latter and MacCabe challenged him fiercely, but Wooderson, looking round first on one side and then the other, galloped home by 10 yards.

D. P. Bell (Hermes Hill) won the mile, which had been in Wooderson's safe keeping for the last three years, but the time was nothing to boast about. There was a surprise and a thrilling finish to the three miles race. Peter Ward looked a cert for this, but P. B. Hennessey, the Air Force man, had other ideas. When Ward tried his usual dash home Hennessey, on the inside, regained a momentarily lost lead and desperately held it to an inches win.

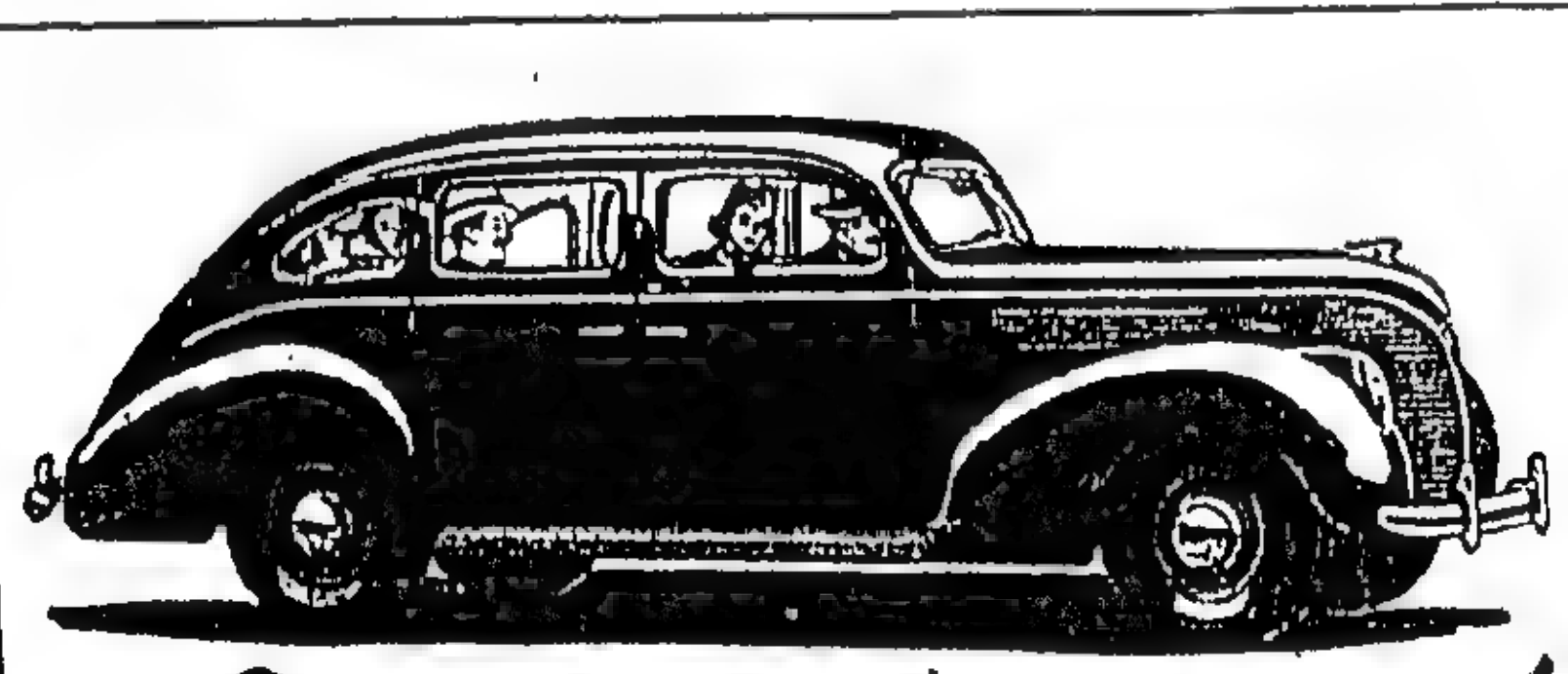
RESULTS AT A GLANCE
100 Yards.—A. W. Sweeney (Milecross) 9.8. H. C. Wickerson (Highbury), 2. E. W. Hampshire (L.A.C.), 3. 9.8sec. (equals record).
220 Yards.—A. T. Liffen (Ashcombe), 1. H. O. Wickerson (Highbury), 2. S. W. Cannell (Victoria Park), 3. 2.3sec.
440 Yards.—H. C. Wickerson (Highbury), 1. A. E. Leggett (London Paper Mills), 2. E. A. Russell (Woodford Green), 3. 5.07 sec.

CHINESE BOXER TO APPEAR IN MANILA

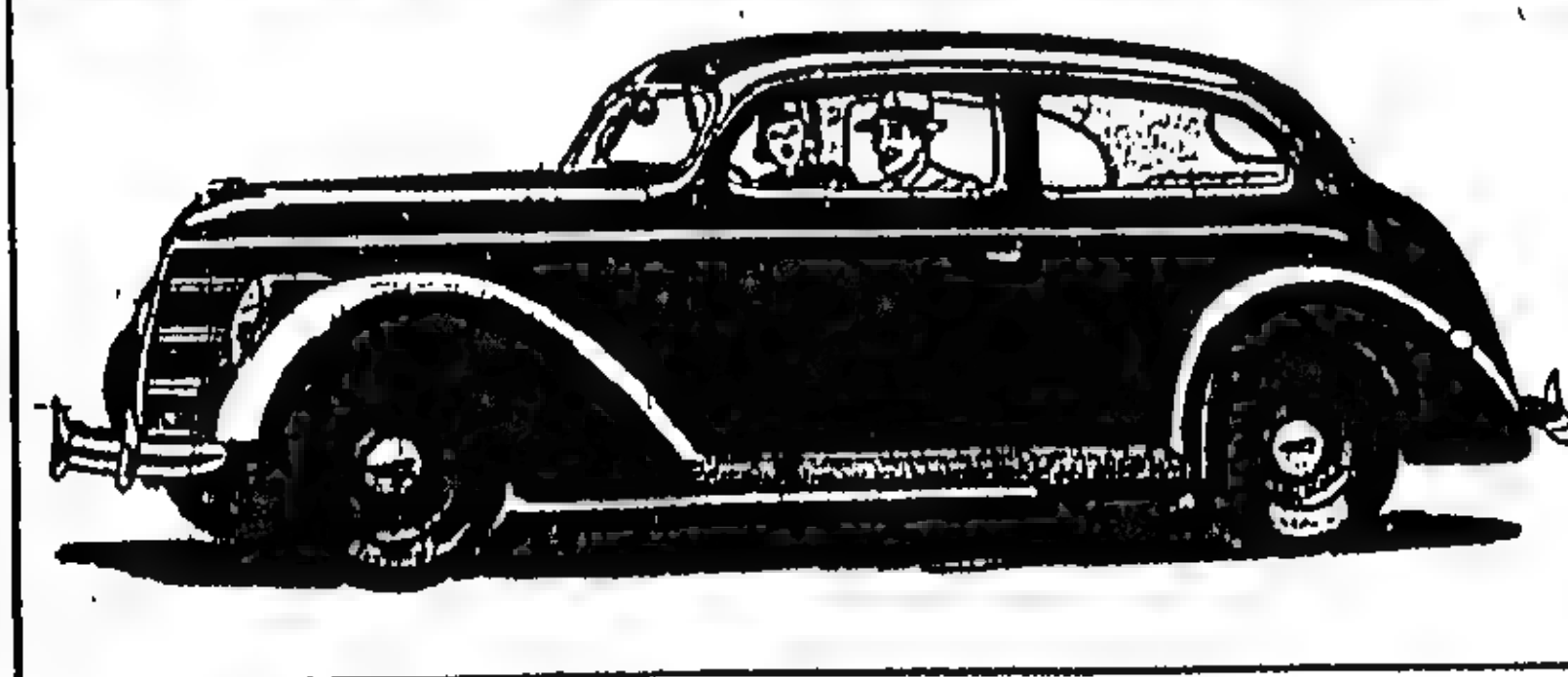
Manila, Aug. 2.
A Chinese beak-buster, who cherishes the distinction of once having held Pablo Dano, one-time bantamweight champion of California and the Orient, to a draw, will once more don the gloves after a long lay off. The clouting Celestial is Chiu Ka-po, claimant to the bantamweight championship of China.

Chiu Ka-po has been signed up to battle Young Santos, former flyweight champion of the Orient, in the 10-round stellar attraction at the Happy Land Stadium in San Roque, Cavite, on August 6. The card is under the promotion of Paul B. Kong and Henry Lee.

Chiu Ka-po is not unknown to local boxing fans, as he has fought several times here. At present he is working for Paul B. Kong, who is his manager. Po stopped Chao Tal-woo in the seventh of a scheduled 10-round bout in Shanghai to cup the bantamweight of the China metropolis. In Manila he earned a draw with Pablo Dano, before the smiling one went to the United States to earn greater ring glory. He also drew with Kid Limbaco, another one of the favourites in these parts a few years back; knocked out Little Sanchez in four rounds and scored a third round technical knockout over Small Eagle.



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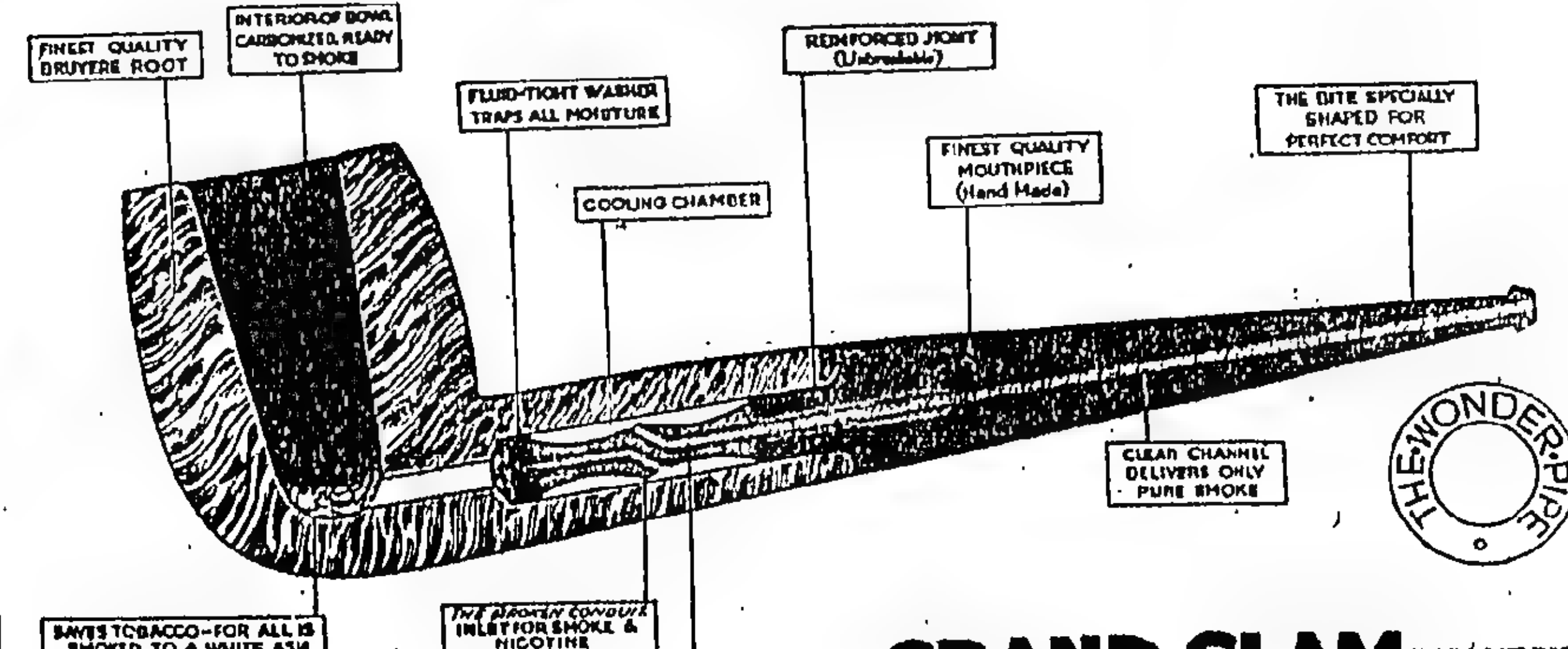
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OXFORD SAVE GAME IN TENSE FINISH AT LORD'S

Pitch Helped Cambridge, But Bowlers Were Not Good Enough

By Howard Marshall

OXFORD fought their way to a draw in the 100th University match at Lord's yesterday. Heavy rain delayed play until 4 o'clock, and Oxford, 108 runs behind, carried their score to 126 for six wickets when stumps were drawn at 7.15.

There were some agonising moments in the Oxford innings, for the wicket was extremely unpleasant, and the Cambridge bowlers made the ball lift viciously. Oxford lost four wickets for 41, and complete collapse seemed inevitable, but Grover, Eggar and Whitehouse between them averted the final disaster.

The truth is that the Cambridge bowling was not good enough, and Oxford were allowed to escape. We were, perhaps, lucky to have any cricket at all on such a miserable day, and the 3½ hours' play was at least exciting.

WICKET SPECULATION
It was four o'clock before the faithful few spectators were rewarded, and by that time the sun was shining, and Oxford were wondering what the wicket had in store for them.

Kaye (Nursery) and Rees-Davies began the Cambridge bowling, and before long Dixon was hit under the heart by a ball from Kaye which lifted sharply. Clearly there was trouble ahead, but Lomas and Dixon played discreetly and well, and it was half an hour before Hewson came on at the Pavilion end, bowling his off break round the wicket to a ring of suicidally close short-legs.

As it happened, Kaye struck the first blow for Cambridge, making one rise to Lomas, who was caught off his place at second slip. The Oxford total then was nine for two wickets, and Dixon and Eggar had an uncomfortable task ahead of them.

AIR OF DESPERATION
They faced it resolutely, and both hit Hewson fiercely through the leg-trap, which was a stimulating sight for Oxford supporters, though there was an air of desperation about it. Actually Hewson was not yet spinning the ball quickly, but undoubtedly he made it lift.

Yardley had a short spell himself, and Eggar hooked him stoutly to the boundary, and then Yardley brought Wild on, and moved Hewson to the Nursery end. Oxford were beginning to look really anxious about this plethora of spin, and at 38 Dixon was caught at leg-slip off Hewson. Dixon had resisted stoutly for 1¼ hours, and Cambridge must have been glad to see the back of him.

This was, indeed, a period of severe crisis for Oxford. Kimpton, finding that the ball was standing up most unpleasantly, risked no strokes, but prodded defensively, and three runs later a rather hurried prod at Wild gave Yardley an easy catch in the gully.

CONFIDENT GROVER
This was a lame death for Kimpton, of all people, and with four wickets down, Oxford were struggling horribly. Grover showed no signs of panic, however, and promptly drove Hewson with admirable firmness past mid-off to the boundary, a stroke which seemed to give Oxford fresh confidence.

The score slowly mounted, both batsmen hit fours off Wild, and although Hewson scraped Grover's stumps, the prospect of a draw steadily increased. The wicket was growing more mischievous, and the ball rose uncommonly sharply, but the Cambridge bowlers were uncertain of their length, and Grover and Eggar grew their ground with admirable courage.

Now and again a full-pitch would be despatched to the boundary, but with the score 69 Eggar was l.b.w. to Hewson, and once again Oxford were in danger. Eggar had stayed in valiantly for 100 minutes, and Whitehouse, who followed him, was equally stubborn.

A storm hovered near, and to the appropriate accompaniment of thunder and lightning Whitehouse and

OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"I'll Take Romance" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Miss Grace Moore demonstrating, in an arch romance with music, that a Metropolitan prima donna may be able to sing the classics in three languages, speak fluently in four, and still ask nothing finer of life than to be kidnapped by a young publicity agent from Buenos Ayres, played by Melvyn Douglas.

"Love, Honour and Behave" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—An attractive film which owes much more to cast and production than to story and whose principal merit is the introduction to motion picture audiences of Priscilla Lane, sister of Lola and Rosemary Lane. She is petite, volatile, determined and refreshingly different from the run-of-the-mill Hollywood ladies.

"Dangerously Yours" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—A battle of wits on an ocean liner filled with crooks after a famous diamond. Good entertainment, but nothing really out of the ordinary about the theme. Cesar Romero and Phyllis Brooks supply the romantic interest.

"Dangerous to Know" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—Suave Akim Tamiroff is a big racketeer who seeks to enjoy society life as well as political and financial control of the city in which he lives. Fast, well-acted holism. Gail Patrick, Anna May Wong and Harvey Stephens keep the film at a good pace.

"Dinner at the Ritz" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—Made in England with an excellent cast, this is a slick melodrama. Annabella, French actress, plays the daughter of a banker who has been financially ruined and killed by crooked partners. She determines to seek them out and assumes several disguises to do so. Aiding her are Romney Brent, David Niven, Paul Lukas and Francis L. Sullivan.



Those popular stars, William Powell and Virginia Bruce, make a brilliant pair in "Escapade" which will be shown at the King's Theatre to-morrow.

New Sports Editor For United Press

New York, Aug. 3.
The United Press Association has appointed Harry Ferguson as Sports Editor to succeed Stuart Cameron, who is joining Steve Hannagan Associates.—United Press.

REICH NEEDS MORE TAXES

Berlin, Aug. 3.
As a further step to increase the Government's Tax, the Government has decided to appropriate some of the municipal tax revenues. The profitable local beer tax will be taken from the municipalities and added to the existing Reich beer tax.

The Reich will also claim a portion of the local tax on sales of real estate and municipal business enterprises like electricity and water-works, which will be taxed like ordinary companies.—Reuter Special.

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NEW YORK OUTFITS SUCCEED

Both Giants And Yankees Win

New York, Aug. 3.
Both New York teams were successful in the Baseball League to-day, the Giants beating Chicago Cubs in the National section and the Yankees defeating Detroit Tigers in the American.

A feature of the matches played in the National League was the double success of Pittsburgh Pirates, who improved their position considerably by beating Boston Braves twice.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	11	0
New York	6	12	1
(Out, Bartell, Mancuso and Seeds homered for the Giants).			
Pittsburgh	9	18	1
Boston	4	10	3
Pittsburgh	5	10	1
Boston	3	8	1
Cincinnati	6	10	1
Philadelphia	3	12	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	10	17	2
Detroit	7	15	6
(Eleven innings were played. Rutling and Gordon homered for the Yankees).			
Boston	4	9	2
Cleveland	3	6	2
Philadelphia	14	18	0
Chicago	2	10	1
(J. Johnson homered twice for the White Sox).			
Washington	3	6	2
St. Louis	5	11	0
(Curt homered for the St. Louis Browns).—Reuter.			

CRICKET SCORES

London, Aug. 3.
Lunch cricket scores to-day were:
Public Schools 109-4 against Army.
Essex 131-3 against Notts.
Gloucester 125-1 against Glamorgan.
Kent 128-1 against Lancs.
Leicester 60-3 against Yorks.
Somerset 91-1 against Derby.
Northants 67-4 against Sussex.
Middlesex 145-2 against Warwick.
Hampshire 107-2 against Worcesters.—Reuter Bulletin.

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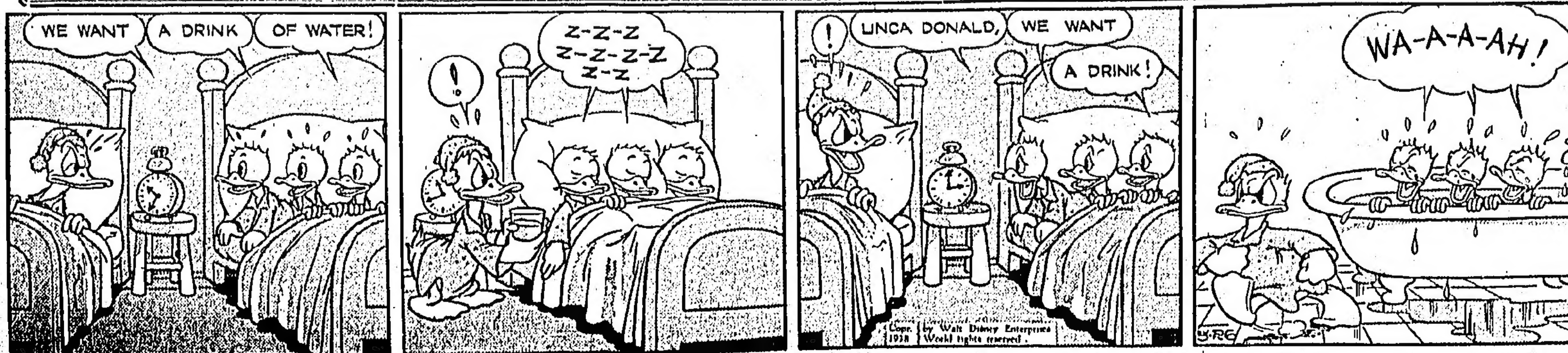
The 1938-39 season of the Hongkong Cycling Club opened with an unsuccessful attempt to establish a new record over the Kowloon-Shutaukok and back route (53¼ miles) by R. H. McDowell. Despatched by the President of the Club, H. A. G. Keates, McDowell, formerly of the Corpus Cycling Club, Northern Ireland, set a fast pace until reaching the hills. At Taiipo, having covered 16 miles in slightly over an hour, he was forced to abandon the attempt, apparently due to the increasing heat.

Due to the arrangements for the time trial, the Club's informal outing was commenced early in the morning instead of at 1.30 p.m. Lunch was partaken at Shutaukok shortly after noon, and the party, including McDowell and Keates, left the border town about 1 p.m. for an easy homeward journey. The "half-century" run was brought to a conclusion at 4.45 p.m.

Future week-end outings will commence from the Alhambra Theatre, Kowloon, at 10 a.m. on Sunday.

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SOMETHING like a reign of terror prevails in the household; Father has rediscovered his hobby. "Terror" may be an overstatement, since I overheard Miss Eight-Year-Old say to Master Six-Year-Old:

"Do you think he is really awfully cross about his silly old saw, or is he just showing off?" Showing off! That is all that the Righteous Wrath of an Offended Parent means to the modern generation.

And then she added, more as a matter of information than of concern:

"Did we ever dig it up after that treasure-hunt?"

How, I ask you, can a man really do justice to carpentry as a hobby, when his family buries his saw, and, most probably, his hammer and chisels as well?

That is why the Jove of our family Olympus has been thundering and lightning around the house for the past 24 hours. Because I decided, having a free week-end, to revive, in face of violent opposition from those who have to do the cleaning-up, my hobby of Making Things.

Collapsible tables, for instance. Most ingenious, but liable to collapse by accident rather than design. And, of course, painting them. A bit slapdash, I admit, but colourful. Indeed, when visitors go into the one room in which I am allowed to please myself, they shade their eyes and murmur politeness about "courageous colours."

As I cannot find the tools or the paint brushes, I suppose I shall have to find a new hobby for the week-end. Or, more likely, I shall spend all my time lying in a deck-chair thinking of Something Really Energetic.

And no one who knows me will dare to suggest gardening, or golf, or hiking, or canoeing, or any of the other "nothing-like-it-old-man" diversions of my more boisterous friends.

The one distinction which I share with Bernard Shaw is his recreation, quoted in Who's Who "Anything except sport."

But in my zest for carpentry, I am in good company. When my friend Professor Lancelot Hogben is not indulging his main hobby of writing best-sellers on science, he makes furniture.

And very modern furniture it is. He furnished his cottage in Devon and a bungalow in his private wood with it—desks, cabinets, chairs, tables and so on.

MOST of them he had made, elegantly, in an hour or so, because it was not so much carpentry as structural engineering. He had discovered that sugar-boxes were mass-produced in dead accurate sizes. So it was a case of a few nails, three-plywood and mathematics.

Because in his schooldays he was "made to chase a parcel of air wrapped up in leather" round a football pitch, he too, incorrigibly, belongs to the Slavonic category of "anything but sport."

Professor J. B. S. Haldane classifies his hobby as "gardening," but he has another which might be described as "being bitten by bed bugs."

I met him at the Royal Society



"Spend my time in a deck chair thinking of Something Really Energetic."

ANYTHING BUT—

one evening, wandering round with an intense look on his face and a pill-box on his arm. In the pill-box was a bug which he was assiduously trying to coax to bite him.

On my arm, in a misguided experiment, it produced an instantaneous blister; on his, none at all. And he explained that he had spent his holidays endeavouring to get bitten, sleeping in bug-ridden hovels in the Balkans, the Near East, Russia, Spain and elsewhere, but never once finding a breed of bug which would take to him. Now he is going off to Mexico. Maybe his "bug-baiting" will end there.

It is a moot point as to whether that should be classed as "anything but sport."

H. G. WELLS goes off to the International P.E.N. Club. He is indulging in one of his greatest hobbies, one which has taken him on arduous journeys round the world, the fostering of P.E.N., of which he is the international president.

But it is part of his bigger hobby of meeting people, arguing with them, provoking them and converting them to his all-prevailing purpose of international co-operation.

Sometimes he will adjourn the argument, to the room which he has had specially equipped at the bottom of his garden for table-tennis.

At the age of 71, he has a youthful zest for table-tennis. I wonder if we should blackball him on those grounds from our "Anything But Sport Club"?

One person who most certainly qualifies is Osbert Sitwell. Every week-end is a busy one for him, and his hobby—"Prophecy and waiting for the end."

Presumably he makes a prophecy and waits all week-end for the end. And when he wakes up on Monday and refutes his own prophecy, he sits down and makes another one. Anyway, it is better than cheating yourself at patience cards.

Brother Sacheverell Sitwell indulges in "model aeroplanes, plats

regionaux, improvisation and the bull-ring."

One week-end I went down with the late Sir James Barrie to indulge his secret vice—skittles with A. P. Herbert in the alley of a riverside pub at Hammer-smith.

JULIAN HUXLEY has one hobby which is after his own heart—bird-watching. But he is addicted to another, charades. So are Lady Astor and her week-end parties at Cliveden.

But one of the principal week-end hobbies of scientists is crime.

One Sunday I was visiting a distinguished scientist, who shall be nameless. We were out walking, deep in discussion of a new discovery, when he suddenly stopped beside a tangled clump of bushes, looked around cautiously and in a staggery whisper said, "That's where I buried last Sunday's body."

Just as though it were a roast joint which had gone bad. Every Sunday morning, it turned out, he committed an imaginary

murder in the best "thriller" tradition and spent the rest of the day convicting himself.

"Better'n crosswords," he assured me.

The Athenaeum Club is full of potential murderers, detectives and "Hanging Judges." And the bishops are no exceptions.

One evening, after dinner there, a group which included a famous medical knight, a physiologist, a psychologist, a pathologist, a barrister, a chemist, and myself, appointed ourselves Judge, Jury and executioners of certain public enemies, beyond the law but morally criminal.

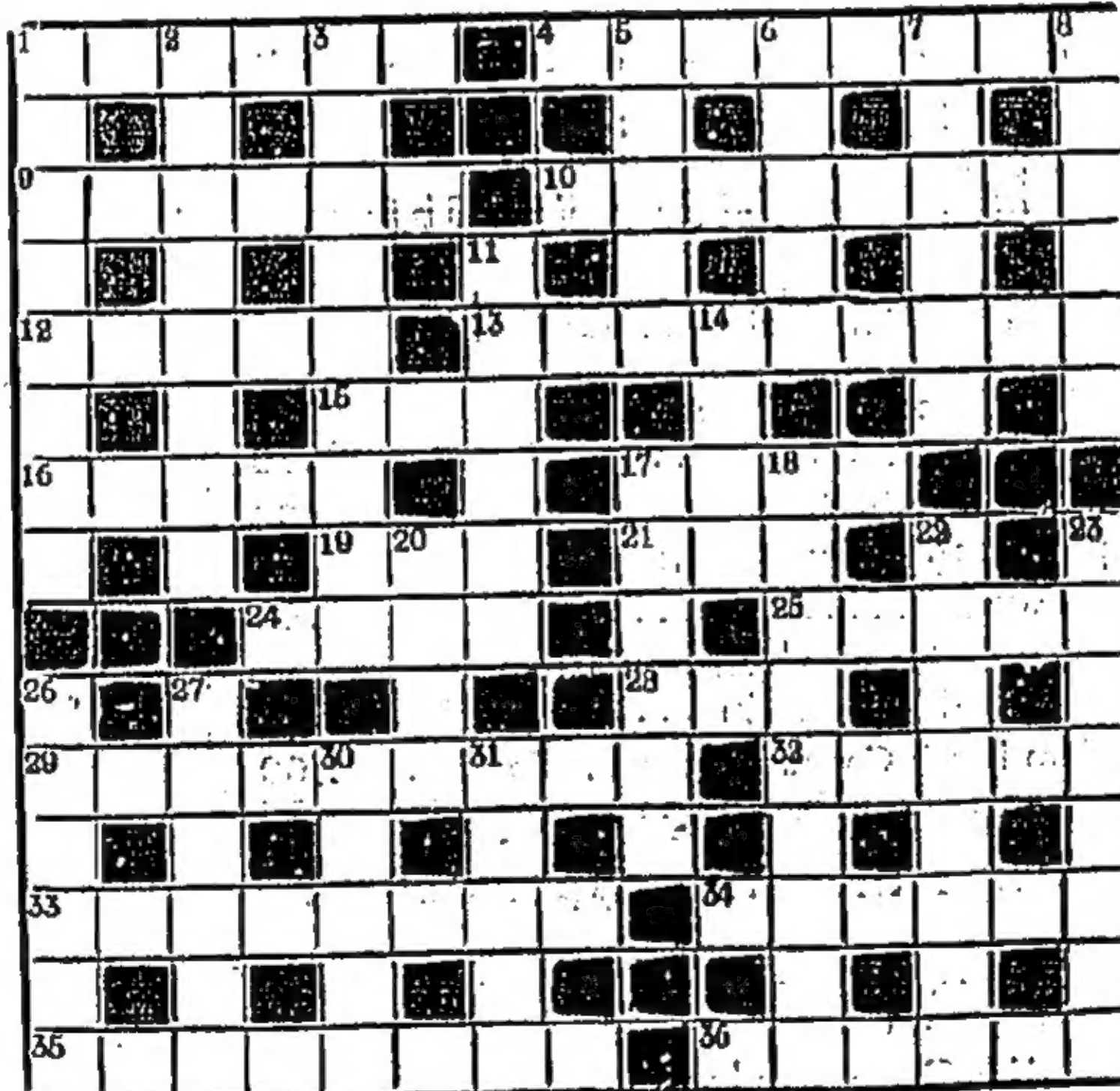
And the expert knowledge of each of the specialists was pooled to dispose of them in such a way that murder would never have been suspected, much less, according to the lawyer, detected.

They were all "thriller fans" determined to out-do their favourite authors.

WHICH is an idea—If that saw is not resuscitated within the next few hours, I shall commit an imaginary murder and confound myself with my own clues—The Deck-Chair Murder.

But, in the meantime, I make a resolution for the week-end in which I hope you all can join—My recreation is going to be "Anything but—WORK."

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 1 The end can be made to separate (9).
- 4 Given apparently approving of debt (8).
- 9 The sound of backward spirits (9).
- 10 This saintly day comes in July (9).
- 12 Hungarian musical composer (9).
- 13 Hard up and with debts too (9).
- 15 A constellation (3).
- 17 Relation (5).
- 17 Not even chance? (4).
- 20 A light musical note? (3).
- 21 Is this to come out (3).
- 24 European capital (4).
- 25 Useful to a ship even if be-headed (5).
- 28 A little blow (3).
- 29 Plenty suggesting something like a caw-walk (9).
- 32 Praise (5).
- 33 "Did slope" (anag.) (8).
- 34 Occupation for a royal graduate in the kitchen (6).
- 35 Unmolested instruction to the orchestra to hurry up and start (6).
- 36 An egg is enough clue by the look of it (6).

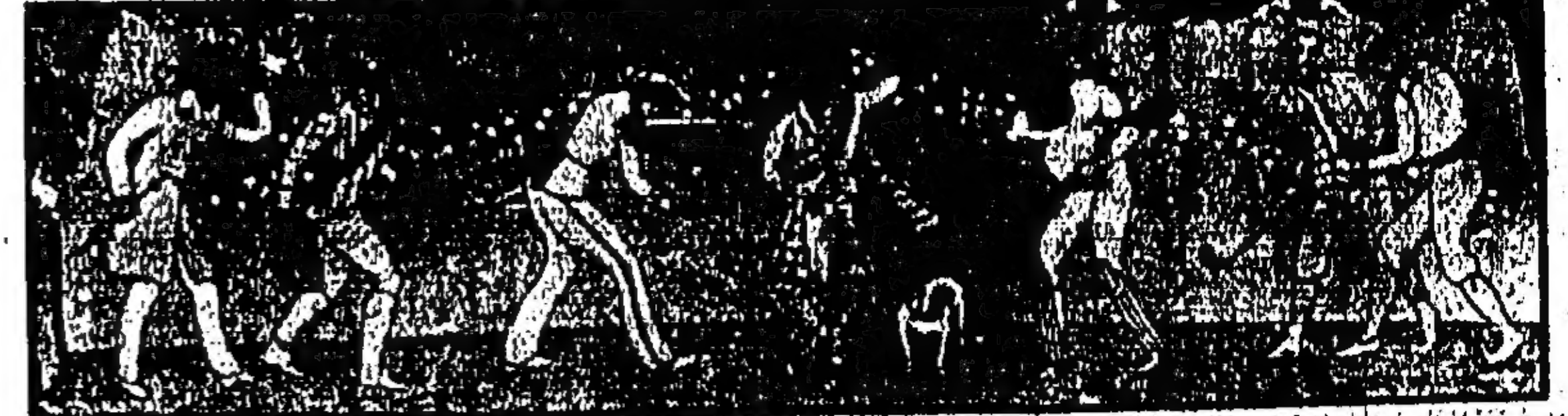
DOWN

- 1 Pudding that suggests selling a lot of fish cheap (8).
- 2 "She hurts" (anag.) (8).
- 3 An enormous number do not do so much reckoning (9).
- 6 Found in long-bottled wine (5).
- 8 A "Varsity" don perhaps (6).
- 7 Former in former days (6).

- 8 Leave off (6).
- 11 This old dilly was a head and nothing more (6).
- 14 This is Hindustani (4).
- 17 The tail of this bird is apparently an attraction to others (6).
- 18 He makes dear dopes or road speed (9).
- 20 A northern girl (4).
- 22 Irritation in inactivity perhaps (8).
- 23 A difficult time for driving a car (8).
- 26 Wager about everything for the dance (6).
- 27 Highwayman of old (6).
- 30 Material for the military doubtless (5).
- 31 Just what is wanted (5).

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THE BEST THRILLER YET

HERE is the best news for many months for detective story lovers. Michael Innes, going on from good to better, has put himself, with his third book, *Lament for a Maker* (Dolland, 7s. 6d.), right among the masters.

It is the sort of novel you can read with joy, even if you do not give a hoot for who killed whom. Which means that the clues are not just loose ends sticking out, but a cunningly integrated part of a story that, above all, has character and substance.

Six narrators give you the strange

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Pardon the unwonted enthusiasm. But if 1938 gives us another detective novel like this, it will be a remarkable year.

Commendable too in a more single-minded way is Neal Shepherd's *Death Walks Softly* (Constable, 7s. 6d.).

Chief point about this is its satisfyingly complete technical details, extending to a conscientious plan which comes near to giving the whole thing away.

I like this new author's almost exaggerated fair-mindedness and hope to read more about his engaging Chief Inspector Napper Tandy.

Two reports on simple thrillers. Max Salomon continues capably in the early John Buchan tradition with a tale of plots inside Nazi Germany, *Indigo Death* (Michael Joseph, 7s. 6d.).

And *Buildup* (Drammond on Dartmoor, described as originated by Sapper) and told by Gerard Fairlie (Hodder and Stoughton, 7s. 6d.), is pretty well indistinguishable from the real thing which we had thought ended by Sapper's death.

P. E. H.

Music Hall

QUALIFIED doubly by experience and resourceful research, M. Willson Disher has given us by far the best book on the British music-hall yet written—*Whiskies and Champagne* (Batsford, 12s. 6d.).

Harmonious rallies in taverns were the origin of this peculiarly national and strongly democratic form of entertainment. The great Grimaldi in his last days would be carried pick-a-back into a bar-parlour to regale the customers with his old songs. Supper rooms, such as Evans's in Covent Garden (afterwards the National Sporting Club), were another step towards the specially built theatre, first of which in London was the Canterbury.

The "chairman" waltzers with trays of drinks and a post-humous flavour persisted in the old "Mogul" (the Middlesex, now the Winter Garden Theatre), the Pavilion and the Oxford, until respectability and "tone" raised the status of variety, thanks to Charles Morton, Sir Oswald Stoll, and the "family" atmosphere they created.

Mr Disher covers the vast field thoroughly, especially the personality side, from Sam Cowell to Billy Berrill, and records many odd facts. For example, I knew that Little Tich had six fingers on each hand, but not that George Black used to turn the handle of a roundabout, or that Harry Champion wrote "No Old Brown Son" at his father's funeral!

An astonishing profusion of illustrations—performers, old songs, old scenes—adds to the volume's greatest virtue: that it is not merely a lively writing of a book which neither over-idealises nor moralises. In fact, the reader is at the music-hall with the author all the time.

SPAIN plain

AN exhaustive and well-documented survey of the Spanish situation is provided by the Duchess of Atholl in *Searchlight on Spain* (Penguin Books, 6d.).

It is much more than an account of the war, for the author goes back to the causes of the present bloodshed and attempts also to forecast its ultimate effects.

In an admirable summing-up, "What It Means to Us," the Duchess pleads for full support for the Spanish Government and the ending of the so-called non-intervention which she, along with other realists, agrees has been a concealed form of intervention in favour of Franco.

Obviously the work of a motorist with a wide knowledge and a passionate love of his country is this *England of Ours*, by Harold W. Eloy (Newnes, 3s. 6d.). A friendly book—not a guide in the usually accepted sense, but a lively reminiscence of journeys made to the most interesting corners of the shires.

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German v. Slav

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So, Elizabeth Wiseman's book, *Czechs and Germans* (Oxford University Press, 12s. 6d.), is timely and valuable as well. Because its main theme is the all-important one that this "Sudeten question" did not begin with Herr Hitler and Nazi propaganda; but goes back to the beginning of the Republic.

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Miss Wiseman is candid. She does not pretend to be impartial. She does not hide her strong sympathies and antipathies, her likes and dislikes. She frankly argues the Czech case, not only in this grim juncture, but through the centuries. Such candour, and the effort to be as fair as may be to the other side, are no bad substitute for objectivity in a historian.

Anyway, here is a massing of fact about the past and the present of the most uneasy racial frontier of Europe, compiled with a painstaking industry which is beyond praise. The facts are of prime importance; and this is the first English attempt to set them out clearly and in some perspective.

W. N. E.

FICTION

National Provincial, by Lettice Cooper (Dolland, 8s. 6d.). In which you may live for a while the life of a Northern city.

Everglade, by W. B. Maxwell (Hutchinson, 8s. 6d.). The third volume in the author's large-scale fictional survey, "Men and Women."

Death Burns the Candle, by Ralph Trevor (Wright and Brown, 7s. 6d.). Sacred South Sea pearls. Robbery. Revenge. And Thrills.

FACT

Low Again: A Fugate of Politics, by David Low (The Cresset Press, 6s.). A superb collection of cartoons by Colonel Blimp's creator.

Memories and Reflections, by Ben Tillett (John Long, 6s.). Popular edition of the fighting autobiography of a Labour veteran.

A History of Cricket, by H. E. Altham and E. W. Swanton (Allen and Unwin, 8s. 6d.). The Complete Cricketer—in a revised edition.

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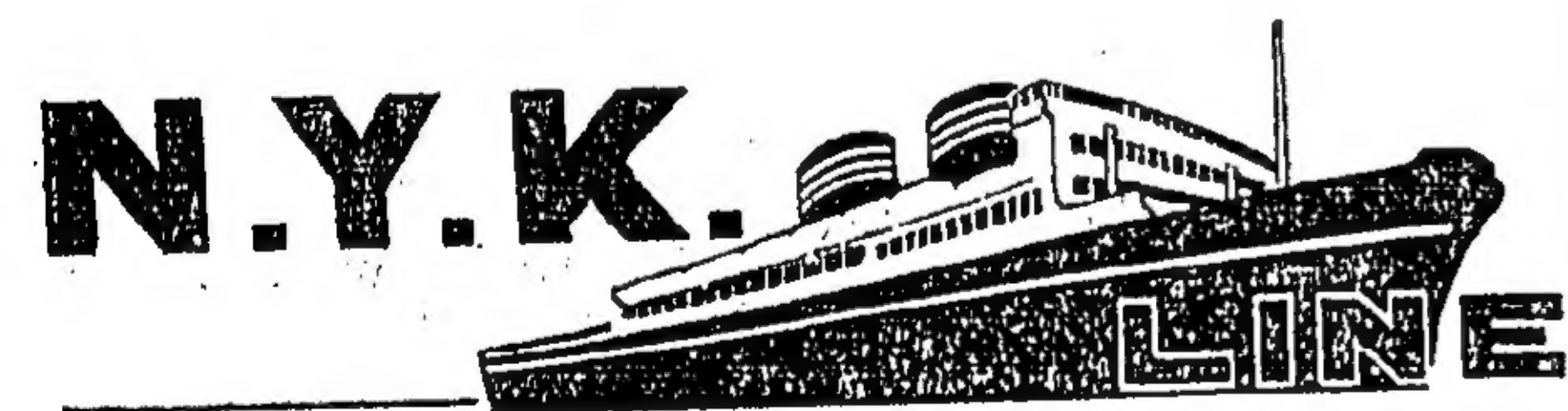
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A kidnapping threat, a famous baby's first picture, the Queen's visit to a nursery and a garden party, brought these children into the news. While the son of the Woolworth

heiress was guarded closely, the daughter of England's premier duke posed for her picture, children laughed at the clown and babies received a royal visitor.



**NORFOLK
BABY'S
FIRST
PICTURE**

Anne Elizabeth, the ten-day-old baby of the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk, yawned when her first picture was taken outside her parents' home.

**Guarding
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Following the rumour of a plot to kidnap Lance, the two-year-old son of Count and Countess Haugwitz-Reventlow (seen above with his mother), Winfield House, their home in Regent's Park, was closely guarded. While the boy played on the lawn, right, guards kept watch. One of them is seen on the left.

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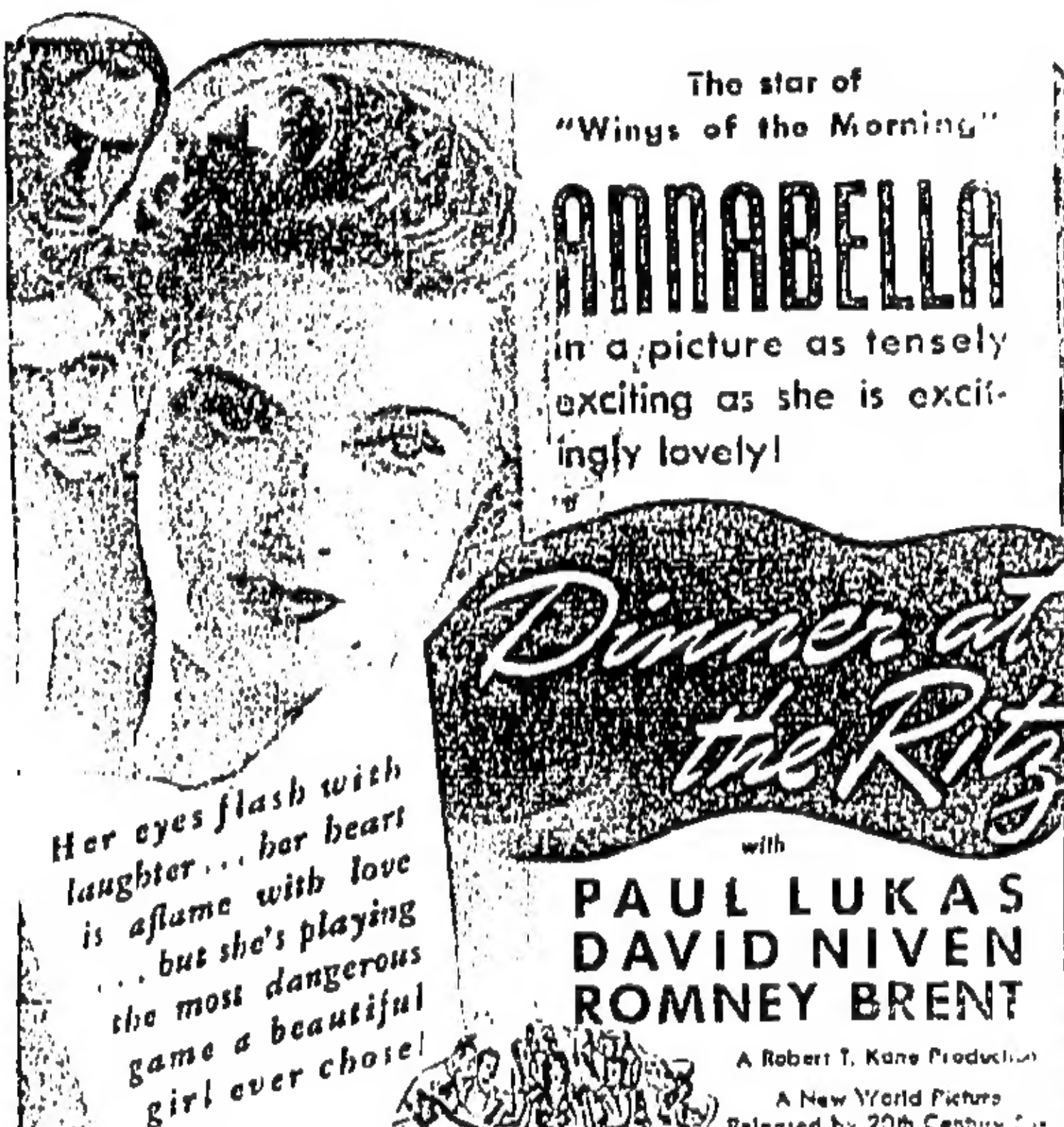
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CONFIDENT OF SETTLEMENT

London, Aug. 4.
The Financial News commenting on the Russo-Japanese conflict, says that neither Russia nor Japan are believed willing to enter into a major war, and in the absence of any disturbing factor from outside, an early and peaceful settlement of the dispute is awaited with confidence. The outbreak of such a violent incident is at present considered rather puzzling in London.
Russian initiative in the Far East is not reasonable in view of the extreme delicacy of the situation in Central Europe. At the same time the unprovoked Japanese attack on a hill which is unquestionably Russian territory was hardly expected when Japan already has her hands more than full with the Chinese war. The most likely explanation is that the aggression is another instance of the "independence" from Tokyo's authority enjoyed by local units of the Japanese army, the paper says.
The Daily Herald gives prominence to an article by its diplomatic correspondent, who declares that he has learned from authoritative sources that the Soviet still thinks it will be possible to localise the trouble at Chungking, which, it believes, is due almost entirely to the local Japanese military acting on its own initiative and to the embarrassment of the Tokyo Government.—Reuter.

WANTS NO SPREAD OF CONFLICT

London, Aug. 4.
The Paris correspondent of the Times states that he had an interview with M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, who stated that M. Suritz, the Soviet Ambassador, was at pains to establish the claim of his Government to complete innocence of any responsibility for the outbreak of hostilities at Chungking.
He is believed to have declared that while his Government was determined to allow no infringement of its rights, it was anxious to prevent the conflict from spreading.—Reuter.

CHINESE ATTACK SANCHAO

Canton, Aug. 4.
It is officially revealed that Chinese militiamen swooped upon the Japanese garrisoning the Island of Sanchao, near Macao, last night.
The raiders killed fifty Japanese and captured much arms and ammunition.
The Chinese casualties are unknown.
This attack recalls the similar attack by militiamen on Nanning, off Swatow, where the Japanese, taken by surprise, were severely defeated.—United Press.

SILK TRADE'S NEW RULES WIN APPROVAL

Washington, Aug. 3.
Representatives of the silk industry are preparing to approve rules which have been drawn up and submitted by the Federal Trade Commission. The new rules provide for accurate identification of the fibre content of products containing silk and also the prevention of misrepresentation by the silk trade.
The move is understood to have been promoted by American silk consumers, in conjunction with manufacturers, and is welcomed by Japanese silk interests as contributing towards smooth trading practices.

The rayon producers had previously pointed out that certain rules applicable to the silk industry should be promulgated on the basis of those of the rayon industry, because the industries are competitive.
The rules pertaining to the rayon trade were only adopted recently.—Reuter Special.

WANT REFORM IN COLONIES

London, Aug. 3.
A resolution on the British Colonial policy in the name of the General Council appears on the agenda of the 70th meeting of the Trades Union Congress which opens at Blackpool on September 5. The resolution favours the provision of labour departments and inspectorate systems in the colonies, promotion of responsible union organisation among workers, introduction of workers' compensation schemes, and the application of appropriate I.L.O. conventions.—British Wireless.

Seven More Cholera Cases Here

Another seven cases of cholera during the past 24 hours have brought the total up to 250 since January 1. Of the new notifications, three were from Kowloon, two from Victoria, one from Aberdeen and one from the New Territories.

Three additional cases of dysentery makes the aggregate number of victims for the year, 543.

Additionally, during the last 24 hours there have been three new cases of enteric fever, one of measles and one of meningitis.

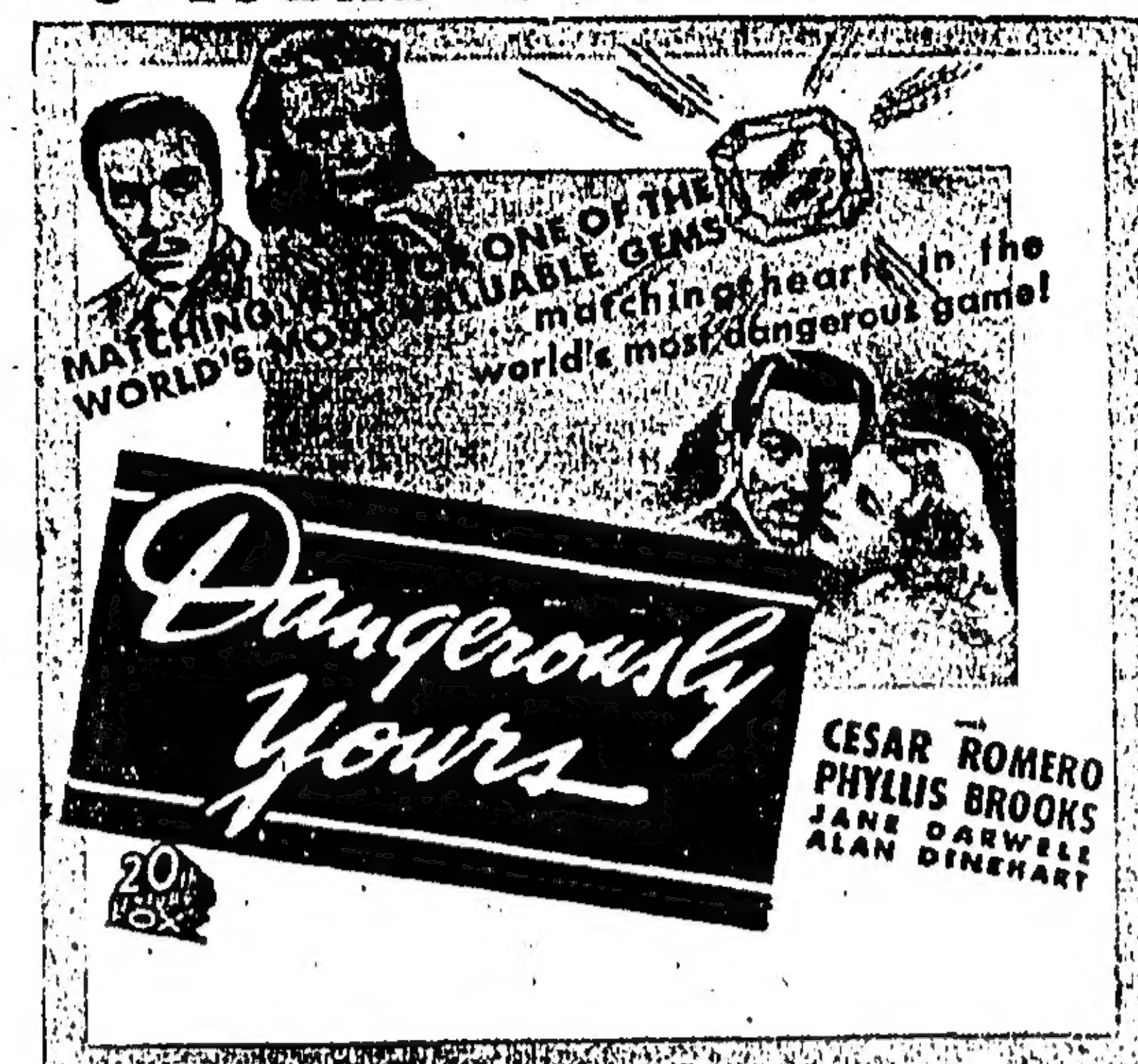
M.P.s Will Be Inquisitive At Next Session

London, Aug. 3.
Sixty-six questions are on the order paper for answer in the House of Commons when it reassembles on November 1. Questions on foreign affairs provide opportunities for statements on the Far East, Spain, Czechoslovakia and the position regarding the Anglo-Italian Agreement.

Three members will ask for information on Lord Runciman's mission, while a question to the President of the Board of Trade invites a statement on the Anglo-American trade negotiations.
Four questions relate to Palestine.—British Wireless.

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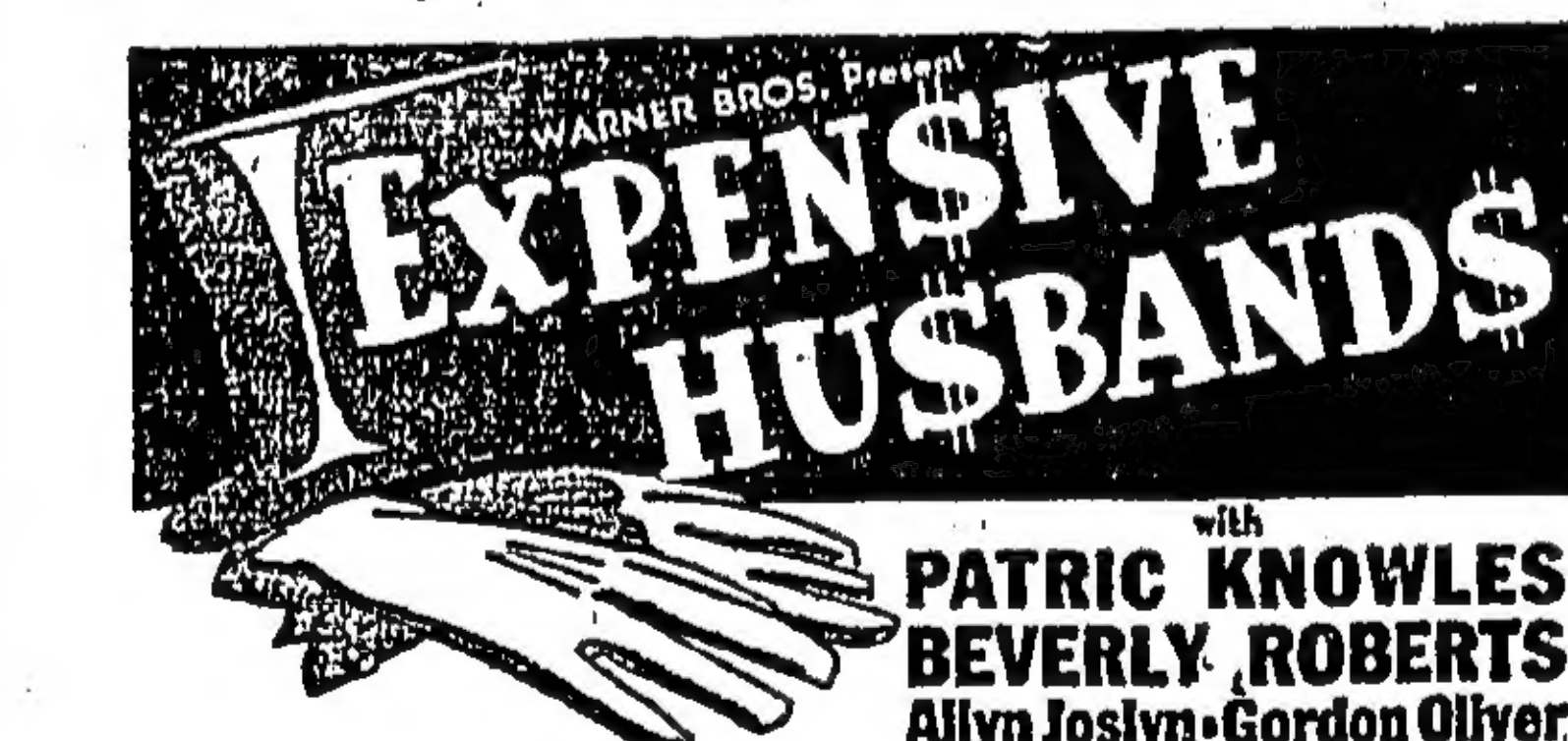


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